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GENERALITIES.

THE tea trade in London is declining.

THE strawberry season in Florida is over.

MAINE is trying to attract Scandinavian colonists.

ONE million acres of wheat land enrich California.

RUSSIAN WOMEN make successful telegraph operators.

A NUGGET of pure copper ore has been found in Monroe county, Iowa.

SAN FRANCISCO is using six thousand pounds of strawberries per diem.

JUDGE NESMITH is about to retire from the Supreme Bench of New Hampshire.

THE Boston *Post* says that California fruit prospects are pleasing, and only man is vile.

CHRISTIAN YEAGER'S carpenter shop, in St. Louis, was burned on Monday. Loss, $2,400.

THE book keeper of a livery stable shot a colored driver, in St. Louis, dangerously wounding him.

PHILADELPHIA and New York are having their Park concerts. When will Allegheny begin?

THE damage to corn by the recent cold and wet weather in Northern Iowa will prove very slight.

MILBURN, the blind preacher, is lecturing in California, where his eloquence and name draw large crowds.

A NEW ORLEANS man pointed a revolver at a small boy—since deceased—to see if it was loaded. It was.

LEAVENWORTH claims to be the most prosperous and best laid out city between St. Louis and the Pacific slope.

IT is thougut the cars on the Dubuque and Sioux City Railroad will be running to Sioux City by the middle of June.

A NEW YORK judge couldn't see what three thieves wanted with seven and a half pairs of shoes, so he committed them.

WHEN an Indian camp is captured by Sheridan's troops the loose scalps are secured by the boys and sent east for chignons.

CUSHMAN BROTHERS, paper manufacturers of North Amherst, Mass., have stopped payment with small assetts and $80,008 liabilities.

EDINBURGH has a man who has spent forty years of his valuable life in jail. This unproductive occupation he received in thirty separate installments.

TWO little Detroit boys found a knife and couldn't agree which should have it, so one jabbed it into the other, and there was only one left to divide it among.

ON Tuesday Edward Murray tried to drown himself in the canal at Buffalo. Two policemen were all that stood between him and death; but they were sufficient.

IT is thought Mr. Gladstone would not survive a month if Mrs. Fawcett or any other woman should take a seat in the House of Commons during his administration.

IN experimenting in London recently on telegraphy, messages were sent to Teheran, in Persia, a distance of 3,700 miles, and answers were received in thirty seconds.

A HUGE amendment at Atlanta applied, a few days ago, to have his bride of an evening bound over till he could get a divorce. She was small, but used a skillet cannily.

HAVEN'T we had enough insane murderers that we let lunatics like George Francis Train wander around loose? or is it only temporary not eternal insanity that is dangerous?

MRS. CAROLINE RICHINGS sings Shoo Fly in the opera of Crown Diamonds, and thus delights that cultivated population of Charleston, S. C., of which we have heard so much.

A MAN named Cook in Chandlerville, Ill., threw a brick at and broke the head of a man named Serf. Cook left before the performance was over and has not come back yet.

A PRESBYTERIAN Female College is to be started at Greencastle, Indiana. The Second Church building and grounds, worth about $14,000, have been devoted for the purpose.

ONE of the largest audiences ever assembled in Providence, R. I., greeted Senator Revels on Monday, when he lectured upon the "Tendency of the Age." Gov. Paddleford introduced him.

THE young King of Bavaria is at present engaged in thoroughly studying the history of the Catholic Church. They say in Munich that he is going to write a strongly anti-ultramontane book.

TWO large brick buildings are being erected in Monmouth, Ill., by Messrs. Martin and Pratt, two enterprising citizens, to be donated on completion to the city, for library [illegible], and office [illegible].

[illegible]

THE Indianapolis *Journal* of the ten says: "It is generally conceded by the State papers that the wheat crop, notwithstanding the efforts of croakers, will be fully up to the average, if not a little in advance.

IT is thought that McFarland might make a small fortune by traveling over the country nominally to lecture, but really to exhibit himself; not that he is [illegible] sort of creature, but that he [illegible] of his class.

[illegible]

DR. MARY WALKER insists on her right to ride on railway smoking cars, and when there defies the right of the male passengers to smoke. This gentle, agreeable, consistent, modest, retiring feminine in neuter clothes recently snatched a cigar from a gentleman's mouth in a Texas smoking car.

IN some places in Maine commercial travelers find a hard time in getting an interview with merchants, who are disgusted with the drumming system. In Bangor the merchants, as a general thing, will have nothing to do with drummers, and their example is being imitated in other places.

THE celebrated Russian Opera troupe is in Cleveland. Jaroslaw Rajudl is the tenor, Livanonsky the barrytone, Jasjewicz the clarionet player, and Rudizinski the basso. These musicians would have, without doubt, been among the most renowned of the day if it had not been impossible to remember their names.

GENERAL LONGSTREET was Marshal of the Day for the Fifteenth Amendment celebration in New Orleans. Longstreet, whose courage and gallantry on the field cannot be gainsayed even by the rear-guard and stay-at-home Democracy, was never braver than when, on the 30th of April last, he met the allied forces of Southern prejudice and passion. His last charge is his best.

THE Salem (Oregon) *Statesman* says that an effort is being made by some of the citizens, and especially some of the ladies of the churches in Salem, to instruct the heathen who are in our midst. There is a night school in successful operation, meeting four nights in the week, where the Chinese are taught to read and write. A friend, who visited the school, informs us that he found about twenty out of a total population of twenty-five of these singular people, all intent on learning, and that their teachers report them to be making excellent progress.

A CORRESPONDENT who has a statistical turn, thinks that Mr. Bryant's translation of Homer would be a very good book for children just learning to read works of one syllable. At the beginning of the third book, in the ten lines containing the famous figure of the cranes there are eighty words, of which there are only sixteen disyllables and one trysyllable. The next ten lines, in which the movement of the Trojan host is compared to vapors on the mountain top, there are eighty-one words, of which there are only thirteen dissyllables, and no word of more than two syllables. In book five, lines 663 to 668, there are fifty-four words, of which but four are more than one syllable.

A GRACEFUL story is told of Lamartine. One day a penniless man of letters called upon him, and, informing him of his needy situation, requested the loan of a considerable sum of money. Lamartine, who was much moved by the recital, opened the drawer and gave him the amount. He then conducted his unfortunate visitor to the vestibule. The season was autumn, and as Lamartine opened the street door, the unfortunate author shivered in his shabby coat. A sudden idea struck Lamaratine, and calling out "Monsieur, you are forgetting your overcoat," he quickly took down an overcoat that was hanging in the passage and assisted the needy visitor to put it on with so much ease and grace that the poor man, quite overcome, did not know how to refuse a gift which was so delicately offered to him.

AN old soldier in Troy, New York, has, for a long time drawn a pension from the Government on the ground that by a gun-shot wound he had wholly lost the use of one of his hands. The fingers and thumb appeared to be so rigidly closed that they could not be opened of his own volition, nor by another without the application of great power, and of severe pain to himself. The surgeons, however, suspected fraud, and resolved to administer an anæsthetic. He submitted, with great reluctance, to a dose of ether. When it began to exercise its influence, the muscles relaxed their rigidity, the hand opened and the fingers and thumb were straightened out as easily and thoroughly as though no injury had ever been inflicted to impair, in the least, the perfect power and symmetry of the member! The whole inner portion of the hand exhibited indisputable evidences that it had been applied, and that most thoroughly, to the purposes of severe manual labor. The pensioner gets no more money from Uncle Sam.

A NEW ORLEANS letter says: "When the North has a mild and open winter, as the past, the production of ice by artificial congealing is important to everybody. It is always important here. With clover in bloom, and the mercury at seventy-eight degrees, ice is made every day at the fair. A tin cylinder on trunnions so as to revolve is jacketed with felt; within is placed another tin, with tubes of different sizes, looking like a candle-mold.—These tubes are filled with water; in the space around them is placed water and the salts of ammonia. A cap or lid is fitted tight, and the whole revolved ten minutes. Upon removing the lid the water on the inside of the molds is frozen in a tubalar film. By slipping the smaller into the larger a cylinder of ice is formed. The water containing ammonia is evaporated, and the salt, when dry, may be used again and again. Ice is formed on a large scale by this process. But a revolving cask, with the tubes, &c., can be fitted up by a tinner, and painted, at a cost of five dollars, and a few pounds of ammoniacal salts will last a family a season.

EIGHTY lucky people in New Jersey and New York are rejoicing over their good fortune, having just "fallen heirs" to an estate in Scotland, variously estimated at from twenty to thirty millions of dollars. The person who gave the information to the "heirs" was a man named Smith, who makes it his business to look after and collect claims of this kind. Some of the heirs are in good circumstances, but most of them are poor, and when the news of their vast inheritance reached their ears they could not believe it was true, and for a time nothing was done, and the matter was dropped. One of the party, however, wrote a letter to a prominent member of the House of Lords, England, making inquiries as to whether any such estate had been left. In the course of two or three months he received an answer, stating that such an estate had been left to William Innis, and that if the heirs could prove their claims there would be but little difficulty in getting their money. Since then one of the heirs has visited England, and found that both the statement of Smith and that contained in the letter were true. Able counsel were consulted, who state that if the claimants could produce the old family Bible, with the records, it would be the best evidence as to the title. The gentleman returned home and commenced searching for the key to the vast estate—the old Bible. A few days ago the sacred volume, in a double sense to the heirs, was found in the hands of an Innis living in Pennsylvania, with the family record complete. The Bible was printed in Edinburg in 1722, and is in a good state of preservation. A number of persons named Innis have heretofore laid claims to the estate, which are of course set aside by the discovery of this old relic.

PENNSYLVANIA.

SCARLET FEVER is epidemic in Carlisle.

THE Daily Altoona *Sun* is a new paper three days old.

PETER KAUB, a worker in the Scranton rolling mills, was attacked and unmercifully beaten by a gang of his late fellow-workmen, because he would'nt strike.

THE annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserves will be held at Lock Haven, on the 17th inst. General Meade will be there; and Colonel William B. Mann will be the orator.

THE barn of John Bazendorf of Summit township, Butler county, was struck by lightning on Friday last, the 6th inst., and burned to the ground. What is worthy of mention is, that it had lightning rods upon it.

ON Monday last, a son of Dr. Drake, of [illegible], was thrown from a cast iron [illegible] roller and instantly killed. The [illegible] struck one of the horses, causing him [illegible] and throw him in front of the roller, when it crushed him, producing death immediately.—*Bradford Reporter.*

A MOST heart-rending occurrence mars the record of the past week. The wife of Mr. E. W. Reynolds was cleaning a bedstead, recently purchased, and had a bottle of corrosive sublimate standing by her, when a little child of fourteen months picked it up and drank the contents. The distracted mother started for a physician, and a neighbor picked up the little sufferer and followed, taking it up to Dr. Mayers. Whites of eggs were pumped into its stomach, but too late. The terrible poison had taken too firm a hold to be dislodged, and the child died. It is a severe blow to the parents, demanding the sympathy and consolation of friends.—*Wilkesbarre Record of the Times.*

OHIO.

NEW LISBON is to have a Roman Catholic church.

THE State Firemen's Convention meets at Crestline on the 20th inst.

GOVERNOR HAYS is to deliver an address in Steubenville on Decoration day.

THE Carroll *Free Press* has new type and looks to be almost as good a paper as it is.

THE Coshocton *Age*, in its new type, is neat and elegant as the belle of a ball room.

EIGHT prisoners escaped a few days since from the Scioto county jail at Portsmouth.

THE people of Minerva, Stark county, vote on the 16th inst., whether they will have a new school house built at a cost of $10,000.

THE Alderney Cheese Factory, New Lyma, is now making 35 to 40 cheese of 50 pounds each daily, will soon double its capacity.

BURGLARS abound in Youngstown. $70 were stolen from James Shields' house and other attempts are reported. All his money, $105, his watch, &c., were taken from the house of Rev. W. F. Wilson, the Methodist preacher, and a popular donation party is to repair his loss.

—The barge Sheridan, laden with six thousand three hundred and eighteen bushels of wheat belonging to John Robson, of Winona, Michigan, and destined for St. Louis, was sunk near Hastings Wednesday by a collision with the steamer Bannock City. The wheat will prove a total loss. Insured.

FIRST EDITION.

MIDNIGHT.

NEW YORK CITY.

The McFarland Case Again—The Deposition of Vice President Colfax—Woman Suffrage Society—Bible Society Anniversary—Bank Case Decided—The Cuban League on the Execution of General Goicouria—Samana Annexation—Extradition Refused—Fenian War Council.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
NEW YORK, May 12, 1870.

BIBLE ANNIVERSARY.

The American Bible Society held its anniversary to-day. The receipts of the year were stated to be larger than any previous year, $741,6[illegible]. Resolutions were adopted that the Bible is the fundamental and higher law of the Republic, and that the present condition of the nation calls for continued and increased zeal in its circulation in this country as well as the rest of the world.

THE M'FARLAND CASE—DEPOSITION OF VICE PRESIDENT COLFAX.

Schuyler Colfax's deposition, offered and excluded in the McFarland trial, is published. It details many interesting circumstances connected with the affair, especially the Indiana divorce. Mr. Colfax says: I had no agency or connection, directly or indirectly, in her application for or procuring a divorce from McFarland in Indiana. She applied to me by letter, about a year I think after the separation, for letters of introduction to persons in Indianapolis. As it has been my daily practice for years to give letters of introduction to all personal friends, and believing her then, as I do now, worthy of such letters of introduction, I sent her two, one addressed to a former colleague in Congress, Hon. A. G. Porter, and the other to an old friend, T. P. Hughes. I cannot recall the contents of either of these letters, except I think I spoke of her as a lady in deep distress, and worthy of esteem. But although I supposed, from having heard her separation from her husband was final, that she went to Indiana to obtain a divorce, I gave no testimony in these letters on the subject, as I had no knowledge of my own about it, and knew it must be decided by evidence submitted in court when it came on for trial, if such suit was commenced. Mr. Richardson never once asked me for any letter of introduction, in Indiana that I remember. A day or two after the first shooting of Richardson by McFarland, I was passing through New York. I called at Sinclair's residence, where Richardson was, to see him. Found Richardson in bed and apparently in pain. I told him how it saddened me to find him involved in such a matter and suffering the consequences. He replied by asserting there had been nothing criminal in his relations with Mrs. McFarland. During part of the conversation, which lasted probably half an hour, Mrs. McFarland was present. She took no part in the conversation and was weeping part of the time. In the same conversation Richardson stated to me if she obtained a divorce from her husband he intended to marry her, if she would accept him, as he believed she would make his life a happy one. He didn't ask me to aid in procuring a divorce, and I supposed from the reference he made to Connecticut and its laws that a divorce would be applied for in that State by her. She never at any time stated to me that she contemplated marrying Richardson after obtaining a divorce. Think she was present and silent when he made the remark, that if she obtained a divorce he intended to marry her if she would accept him, &c. I was never instrumental in procuring employment for her, with or without emolument, nor was I asked by her, or any person in her behalf, to do so. I did not know she contemplated going to Indiana, until I read her letter asking for letters of introduction at our State Capital. Neither Albert D. Richardson, nor Abby, ever went to Indiana in my company, at any time, or for any purpose. I had nothing to do with the suit for divorce, and was not asked by any one to interfere in it. I did not know the Court in which it was to be commenced. I was not present, was not a witness, and did not know what testimony was to be given, nor do I know the name of the Judge who tried the case.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The American Woman's Suffrage society adopted resolutions favoring the Sixteenth Amendment and urging the friends of woman to work in all the States for its establishment, remonstrating against the movement pending in the United States Senate to disfranchise the women of Utah as a movement in aid of polygamy against justice, and congratulating the friends of the cause of woman suffrage upon its unexampled progress during the year. Speeches were made by Aaron M. Powell, Grace Greenwood, Julia Ward Howe, Oliver Johnson, Mrs. Hazlett, Miss Catharine Beecher and Miss Cutler. Miss Beecher, in remarks against woman suffrage, asserted the reason her brother was here was because he could not say no to anything a woman might ask him to do.

BANQUET TO GENERAL JORDAN.

A banquet was given to-night to General Jordan, late commander of the Cuban army. Senor Aldama was present. General Jordan made an effective speech. The Cubans only wanted arms to obtain their liberty. If they could purchase them in the United States they would be free in three months. Horace Greeley and Chas H. Dana spoke forcibly in favor of Cuban independence and urged the American people to help the cause.

SAMANA ANNEXATION.

A large meeting was held to-night at Cooper Institute to urge upon the Washington authorities the importance of ratifying the Samana treaty. Chas. H. Russell presided. Speeches were made by Moses H. Grinnell, Hon. N. Banks, Hon. Thos. Fitch and Judge Feitheir. Resolutions were adopted expressing the sense of the meeting as to the annexation of Samana.

CASE DECIDED.

A decision was given by Judge Brady of the Supreme Court, to-day, in favor of Pitt Cooke against the State National Bank of Boston, in which the bank contested its liability on certification of a check when the drawer had no funds to meet it. The amount involved is over $150,000. Proceedings were stayed, however, for a review of the case at the general term.

THE CUBAN LEAGUE.

The Cuban League adopted resolutions denouncing the murder of Goicouria as a crime against humanity, which should receive the emphatic condemnation, if not of the Government, at least of the people of the United States, and requesting the President to take measures to obtain the body of Goicouria for interment in the land of his adoption.

DISCHARGED.

United States Commissioner Osborne has discharged Johnston, charged with murder aboard the brig Morning Light, whose extradition was claimed by the British Consul, on the ground that the extradition treaty does not cover the crime of manslaughter, which was all the evidence showed the crime to be.

FENIAN WAR COUNCIL.

The Fenian Council of War held to-day, it is reported, agreed that the Generals leave to-morrow morning for the North, and that a blow will likely be struck next week.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Messrs. Taylor, Phillips, Ottendorfer and Jerome declined the Tammany nominations for Aldermen at large. Others will be selected in their places.

Henry Peters Ward has been chosen President of the National Academy of Design.

The steamer Helvetia, from Liverpool, has arrived.

CINCINNATI.

Base Ball Game—Railroad Arrangements—Lane Theological Seminary—Costly Residence Burned.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, May 12.—The game of base ball to-day between the "Red Stockings," of Cincinnati, and the Forest City, of Cleveland, was one of the best ever played in this city. A large audience was present. The Forest City distinguished themselves by fine fielding. The result by innings was as follows:

Red Stockings.......1—0—1—0—1—9—0—0—0—12
Forest City.........0—0—0—1—1—0—0—0—0— 2

Mr. Allison, of the Red Stockings, had his right thumb split open by a ball in the seventh innings, and his place was taken by Mr. Atwater. The former will probably not be disabled many days.

Jay Gould is here again to-day and leaves for Cleveland to-night. He says the relations with the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad are entirely satisfactory. It appears the object of his visit is to lay a firm hold on Cincinnati and perfect connections here with the west and south. The impression prevails that the energies of the Erie will henceforth be powerfully expended in this direction, and that emigrants to the west and through travel generally will as far as possible be brought here and sent over the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad.

The Lane Theological Seminary held commencement exercises to-day. There were eleven graduates, and an unusually large attendance. The friends of this institution are very much encouraged in regard to its future prospect.

The residence of George C. Knight, at College Hill, burned at noon. Loss $50,000; insured for $30,000.

Methodist Protestant Conference.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, May 12.—The General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church resumed the consideration of the report of the Judiciary Committee, disapproving of re-baptism. A motion to postpone the subject indefinitely was lost, sixteen ministers and twelve laymen, voting for postponement, and twenty ministers and twenty-three laymen against it. Adjourned.

At the evening session the report of the Judiciary Committee disapproving re-baptism, was adopted.

North Carolina Republican Convention.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RALEIGH, May 12.—The Republican Convention reassembled to-day. S. F. Phillips, of this city, accepted the nomination for Attorney General. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the administrations of President Grant and Gov. Holden, pledging support of the public schools, inviting immigration from all sections of the country and Europe, and encouraging mechanics, arts, agriculture and other productive industry.

XLIST CONGRESS,

(SECOND SESSION.)

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
WASHINGTON, May 12, 1870.

SENATE.

The report of the Conference Committee on the Arkansas Hot Springs Reservation was concurred in.

Mr. MORRILL offered a resolution calling upon the President for information concerning organized bands of persons at Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory, which was adopted.

Mr. HOWE introduced a bill granting the right of way in Wisconsin to the Green Bay and Lake Superior Railroad.

Mr. SHERMAN gave notice of his intention to call up the bill to reduce taxation immediately after the pending order was disposed of.

The Army bill was taken up, and a motion by Mr. POMEROY to amend the first section by fixing the reduction of the army at thirty thousand instead of twenty-five thousand was agreed to.

Mr. FERRY moved to strike out the eleventh section, providing for a board to retire army officers reported inefficient by the department commanders and chiefs of staff. He was opposed to the compulsory retirement of wounded officers and those disabled by sickness. He preferred to provide for this class so long as they lived, rather than they should believe an ungrateful country had turned them out upon the cold charities of the world.

Mr. WILSON regarded the intention of this proposition to examine only such officers as were reported unfit for duty. It was more practicable than that of the House bill for a general examination of all officers of the army covering some three years of time.

Messrs. THURMAN and HAMLIN concurred in the belief that in the retiring process discrimination ought to be made between those who ought to be absolutely dismissed from the service because of their remissness and those who had become disqualified for duty by wounds or disease contracted in the service.

After discussion, Mr. WILSON offered an amendment to provide that officers to be reported to the board shall be only those unfit for duty from any cause other than injuries incurred in the line of duty.

Mr. THURMAN suggested to include those disabled by disease.

The amendment was agreed to, and also an amendment by Mr. HOWARD to insure to every officer reported for retirement a hearing before the board.

Mr. Ferry's motion was lost.

Discussion then ensued upon amendments by Mr. SHERMAN, to allow retired army officers to hold civil offices; by Mr. CARPENTER, repealing the act of January 2d, 1870, relating to retired officers, and providing, upon their own application, for assignment to duty, except service with troops and as professors in colleges—no compensaiton to be allowed during such service, except actual expenses and mileage.

Mr. Carpenter's amendment was adopted.

Mr. SHERMAN ridiculed the idea that the people of the United States were afraid of undue military influence in their affairs by the election to office of retired army officers. He thought that in the case of Generals Sickles, Fessenden and others, who had lost legs in the service, no prohibition in law should be continued which would prevent them holding office. He knew of an officer that had almost lost his life, who was now breathing through one lung, and who would be honored by the people of Ohio with any office he would accept. Would he be denied the right to hold office, merely because he was wounded in the service of his country?

Mr. TRUMBULL remarked that laws must be made of a general character, though hardships might be done in individual cases. If retired officers were allowed to hold civil offices, the law would be evaded and persons would be placed on the retired list as in the civil service. He did not believe in administering civil offices by military authority.

Mr. THAYER thought if the idea was to do justice to all, that all the rank and file who met danger in the front should not be forgotten.

A lengthy discussion followed.

Mr. Sherman's amendment was finally rejected.

Mr. TRUMBULL moved to amend the twenty-first section so as to prohibit any officer of the army, either on the active or retired list, from holding civil office.

Mr. SHERMAN said army officers were frequently deputed as Indian agents, and this prohibition would reverse the practice of the Government in this respect. He thought it aimed as a reproach to the President, who repeatedly appointed army officers to civil positions. It would prevent the President availing himself of the experience of military officers in any civil positions. It would have prevented General Schofield, or even General Grant, from acting as Secretary of War, and Gen. Sickles from going to Madrid.

Mr. SUMNER thought there was a clear distinction between officers on the retired list and retired officers, and that the latter ought not to be excluded from civil service.

Mr. MORTON said the amendment would cut off every officer now assigned to public duty on the plains, the private Secretaries of the President and many others. It would look very much like a direct blow at the administration and would be so construed by the country.

Mr. Trumbull's amendment was adopted—yeas 34, nays 21.

The fifteenth section, providing a fixed compensation for each grade of officers in the army, was amended by striking out the part relative to the pay of the General, Lieutenant General, Major General and Brigadier General.

Mr. BUCKINGHAM moved to strike out the whole.

Mr. THURMAN said the Chairman of the House Military Committee had stated this new system of stated salaries would reduce the expenses of the army, while the Chairman of the Senate Committee believed the expenses would be increased. He believed the proposition to be one that would do away with the commutation system, and fix the specific pay of officers fairly and intelligibly. In order to secure a proper graduation of pay, without increasing the aggregate costs which could only be done by a Committee, he moved to commit the bill. Lost—18 to 21.

Mr. Buckingham's motion was agreed to—23 to 24.

After further unimportant amendments the bill was reported to the Senate from the Committee, when motions were made to strike out the first and eleventh sections, and to adjourn, which were severally rejected.

Mr. TRUMBULL, in reply to Mr. Stewart, said the bill would not go into effect for a year and a half.

Mr. ROSS expressed a contrary opinion, believing the bill would actually go into operation during the present year, in consequence of the expiration of the terms of enlistment.

The bill then passed, when the legislative appropriation bill came up in order.

At 3:10 the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. HAYS, rising to a personal question, explained away the strictures upon him published in the New York *Star.*

Messrs. Kelsey, Butler of Massachusetts, and Niblack, were appointed a Conference Committee on the Pension Appropriation Bill.

Mr. JONES, of Kentucky, offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the War for the recent report of Colonel Albert, of the survey of the Arkansas River. Adopted.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill reported yesterday by Mr. LYNCH to revive the navigation and commercial interests of the United States.

Mr. ALLISON withdrew a point of order made yesterday, that the bill must first be considered in Committee of the Whole, on the understanding that amendment and discussion would be allowed.

Mr. WELLS advocated and Mr. FINKELNBURG opposed the bill.

At the expiration of the morning hour, the bill went over to Tuesday next.

Mr. DAVIS (N. Y.), introduced a bill to prevent and punish election frauds. Referred.

Mr. BOWEN introduced a bill to equalize bounties. Referred.

Mr. SARGENT introduced a bill to extend provisions of the preemption laws to Colerado. Passed.

Mr. SCHENCK moved to go into Committee of the Whole on the tariff bill.

Mr. WOOD, before the question was put, asked Mr. Schenck whether in view of the facts that the bill had been three and a half months before the House, that only twenty-one pages out of fifty had been disposed of, that it was now late in the session, that many appropriation bills were yet unacted upon, that there were many questions of great importance yet undetermined, and that even if the bill should pass the House it could not possibly pass the Senate, he would gnot let the bill either be recommitted or laid aside so the House could go to practical legislation?

Mr. SCHENCK replied if the bill were fairly considered, and no amendments offered, except such as were substantial in their character, and offered in good faith, with a view to raise or lower duties, he believed they could get through with the bill in the next three or four days easily. He insisted on his motion to go into Committee, which was done.

Various amendments were offered to the nickel paragraphs and rejected, less than a quorum voting in each case.

On a motion to close the debate on the paragraph relating to German silver no quorum voted. Roll call showed present one hundred and fifty-four members and on a recount the the motion was agreed to.

An amendment offered by Mr. BUTLER, Massachusetts, to the same paragraph, to insert the words "aluminum and its alloy," was also offered. No quorum voting and roll call being repeated one hundred and fifty members answered and the amendment was agreed to.

A like amendment to the next paragraph was agreed to.

The paragraph taxing type two cents per pound was struck out.

The paragraph taxing live animals twenty per cent. was amended by raising the duty to thirty per cent., adding a proviso that emigrant teams, not exceeding one wagon and two animals for each family, be admitted free.

Several amendments were offered to the paragraph taxing oatmeal one cent per pound and flour of wheat, rye, corn or buckwheat one-half cent per pound, and the paragraph gave rise to considerable discussion.

Without disposing of the question the committee rose and the House took a recess, the evening session to be for business from the Committee on Invalid pensions.

The bill to define the duties of pension agents and prescribe the manner of paying pensions was discussed, and all the amendments having been rejected, was passed.

A large number of bills granting pensions were passed.

Adjourned.

Upper Rivers.

[By P. & A. Telegraph.]

MORGANTOWN, May 12.—River falling, with 3 feet water in the channel. Weather clear Thermometer 63 at 4 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE, May 11.—River falling, with 7 feet 6 inches water in the channel. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 57 at 4 P. M.

GREENSBORO, May 12.—River stationary, with 7 feet water in the channel. Weather cloudy. Thermometer 60.

OIL CITY, May 12.—River falling, with 36 inches water in the channel. Weather clear and pleasant. Thermometer 63 at 6 P. M.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

THE CAPITAL.

Pay of Contestant Congressmen—G. A. R. Encampment—Election of Officers—Navy News, &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
WASHINGTON, May 12, 1870.

PAY OF CONTESTANTS.

The Committee on Elections has agreed to report a resolution giving the following sums to unsuccessful contestants of seats from Louisiana: Sypher, $3,500; Martin, $2,500; Mowry, $2,000; McCanie, $2,000, and Hunt, $1,500.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

The National Encampment of the G. A. R. elected officers for the ensuing year this afternoon. The vote for Grand Commander-in-Chief resulted: total vote, 76; necessary choice, 39; General Logan, 40; Pleasanton, 18; Hartranft, 11; Dennison, 6; Schenck, 1. General Logan was then declared unanimously chosen. The other officers elected were: Gov. Lucien Fairchilds, of Wisconsin, Senior Vice Commander; General Lewis Wagner, of Pennsylvania, Junior Vice Commander; Dr. Samuel A. Green, of Massachusetts, Surgeon General, and Rev. Dr. Collier, of Ohio, Chaplain General, with a member of Council of Administration from each State.

Major Poore, of Massachusetts, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, reported a series which were adopted. They deplore the death of General Thomas; recommend the observance of "Decoration Day;" condemn the opinion of Attorney Gen. Hoar, requiring the general government to ask from the Southern States sovereignty over national cemeteries; recommend the establishment of State homes for soldiers' orphans, and an asylum at the South for colored veterans; suggest donations of land to volunteers, and thank their Washington comrades for hospitalities.

To-night the encampment revised the rules and regulations, making several changes which it is thought will be very beneficial to the order.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

The regular Republican Nominating Convention, which had nominated Maj. Richards for Mayor, to-night received Richard's letter of withdrawal. The Convention unanimously nominated Matthew G. Emery, heretofore in the field as Reform candidate. Emery accepted.

NAVY NEWS.

The U. S. steamers Dictator, Tuscarora, Nantucket and steamer Lloyd Aspinwall, arrived at Key West. The Severn was going to Havana and the Nantucket would return to St. Domingo. The Quinnebaug is returning home from Brazil station.

PAID THEIR RESPECTS.

Delegates to the National Encampment G. A. R., headed by General Logan, paid their respects to the President to-day. There were no formal speeches.

OFFICERS RETIRED.

Major Thomas W. Sweeney has been retired with the full rank of Brig. General. Col. Saml. K. Dawson is also placed on the retired list.

DEATH ON THE RAIL.

Collision of Trains on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, Through Misapprehension of Orders—Sixteen Persons Killed—Many Wounded—Names of the Victims.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—At six o'clock this morning the night express on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, which left Atchison, Kansas, yesterday evening, collided near Eureka, twenty-eight miles from here, with an extra freight, going west, by which sixteen persons were killed outright and twenty wounded, of which two will die. The wounded are being brought here, and further particulars will be obtained when they arrive. The dead will be brought here as soon as the Coroner reaches the scene of the disaster and holds an inquest.

A special train left here early this morning with physicians and all the necessary appliances for the relief of the wounded. For the care of the dead another train will leave at noon with the Coroner, reporters and another relief party.

Both of the locomotives were completely wrecked and the trains badly smashed. The collision occurred through the misapprehension of orders given to conductors. Hudson E. Bridge, President, and Thomas McKesseck are on the spot doing everything possible to relieve the sufferers and clear the track.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

The train with the wounded has not arrived yet, at 2:30 P. M., but the Superintendent telegraphed the following names of the killed and wounded. The names of the other dead will probably not be obtained till the Coroner holds an inquest.

Killed.—O. O. Pixley, a conductor of the Western Division of the Road, passenger on the train; Frank Holt, and daughter of ten years, Myer county, Ohio; J. Sturdevant, Pekin, Ill.; Geo. Washington, (colored,) train boy, St. Louis; A. N. Stickney, Patoska, Ind.

Wounded—H. M. Haff, Sioux City, Iowa; A. Marcus, Kansas; Milan Holt, Thos. Peritt, Mud Lake, Chatham county, North Carolina; Fred. Maister, Vine Grove, Adams county, Indiana; T. S. Briggs, New York; Wilson Little, Hills Dale, Michigan; Henry Weyland, St. Louis; Jim Masse, colored, Kansas City; Theodore Henderman, St. Louis; Peter Williamson, East Richmond, Ohio; J. D. Hicks, brakeman; J. P. Jackson, engineer; G. J. Dubois, conductor—all of the express train; Jacob Rice, Hickory county, Missouri; Joseph Berry, baggage master, both legs broken and arm smashed.

Most of the killed are persons returning from Kansas, destined to points in Illinois and Ohio.

Although many of the wounded are seriously hurt, it is believed all will recover. They are well cared for. The people and physicians of the neighborhood were on the ground promptly, and have labored incessantly. All that could be done has been freely done by every body to make the wounded comfortable.

Augustus A. Fleming, Chief Engineer of the Tehao and Neosho Railroad, is reported killed, but this needs confirmation.

Later—The train containing the wounded arrived about three o'clock. The sufferers were taken directly to the hospital. A great crowd was at the depot, and as the wounded men were borne on mattresses to proper conveyances much sorrow was manifested.

The following are additional names of the wounded: Thomas L. Manning, Evansville, Ind.; J. D. Carpenter, Cairo, Ill.; Leonard Lee, Stephenson county, Ind.; J. R. Ewing, Burnside, Ill.; Martin A. Norcross, Highland county, Ill.; Henry Erst, Bremen, Randolph county, Ill.; J. C. Courier, St. Louis; Cornelius Short, Chicago; Jacob Short, St. Paul; W. J. Ryan and Rev. James Connell, Lafayette, Ind.; T. D. Hick, St. Louis; Wm. J. Kay, Highland Park, Illinois.

None of these were seriously hurt, except Messrs. Ryan and Connell, whose collar bones were broken. Jacob Rice, Hickory county, Missouri, previously reported wounded, was killed. The death of A. E. Fleming is confirmed. Andrew J. Stratton, New Brighton, Pa., was killed. There are nineteen persons killed. All the bodies will be brought to the city to-night.

Still Later—The following are additional names of the wounded, with some corrections: Martin A. Mawres, Highland Park, Lake county, Illinois, previously reported Norcross; Wm. H. Ray, same place, previously reported Kay; Adam Marcus, Jersey county, Illinois, previously reported from Kansas, right leg dislocated and badly bruised; Henry Nelhoff, Sioux city, previously reported Mahoff, ribs broken and otherwise injured; Henry Ohnke, Randolph Co., Ills.; Peter Murray, Carondelet, Mo.; H. C. Stark, Hyde Park, Massachusetts, arm broken; Perry Kirkleman, St. Louis, foot crushed, since amputated; Wilson Style, Reading, Mich., previously reported Little, scull badly cut and bruised in various places on the body.

The whole number killed now reported is nineteen; wounded about thirty, of whom fifteen are seriously and eight dangerously.

A report that the engineer of the freight train had not been seen since the accident is unfounded. J. P. Jackson, engineer of the passenger train, states his train was over half an hour late at Eureka. Met the regular freight at that place, flagging the extra; was told they had twenty minutes of express train's time, when conductor Dubois, who was on the engine said, "All right; go ahead." The train left Eureka slowly, and proceeded about a mile, when they saw the extra freight dashing round a bluff, under full headway, only from four to five hundred yards off. Jackson whistled down brakes, reversed the engine, gave her sand, told the conductor and fireman to jump, and an instant after the trains came together with full force and appalling result. Jackson, in jumping from the engine, was hurled over a wood pile, and found himself lying thirty feet on the other side of the fence. He did not lose consciousness and was not seriously hurt. The collision occurred on a fill about fifteen feet high.

The train bearing the dead bodies has not reached the city at 11:30, and no more names have been ascertained. The name of A. H. Stickney, of Patoka, Maryland, should be Andrew H. Stuckey, Patoka, Indiana.

The blame of the collision seems to attach to Wm. Odor, conductor of the extra freight train, who should have waited at the gravel switch until the express passed; but, misapprehending his orders, or thinking he could reach Eureka before the passenger train, went on.

Ohio Odd Fellows—Grand Lodge Officers.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

COLUMBUS, May 12.—The Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. adjourned to-night after the installation of the following officers: R. W. G. M. Horace Y. Beebe; R. W. D. G. M., James A. Armstrong; R. W. G. W. Alexis Keeler; R. W. G. S., William C. Tarl; R. W. G. T., George D. Winchell; R. W. G. R., John W. Carter. The subject of an orphans' home was discussed at length. The Grand Lodge agreed to appropriate $10,000 for a home, provided subordinate Lodges appropriate $40,000, making the fund for the home $50,000.

The Methodist Conference South.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, May 12.—In the Methodist Conference to-day Bishops Janes and Harris, of the Northern Church, took their leave. The speeches of these gentlemen were full of the kindliest expressions. The business done was formal and affected no question of great public interest.

NEWS BY CABLE.

Paris Tranquil, at the Point of the Bayonet—Napoleon Thanks His Soldiers—Full Vote on the Plebiscitum—Large Decrease in Bullion in the Bank of France—The Recent Yacht Race—Scandinavian Emigration—Investigation of the Loss of the City of Boston—Extradition of Gustave Flourens Not Demanded.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 12—2:00 A. M.—Paris is tranquil. The scenes of the recent disorder are still partly occupied by the troops.

12:00 M.—Henri Rochefort's journal, *Les Marseillaise*, has been prosecuted to-day for publishing an article asserting that the recent riots were organized by the police.

The outflow of specie from the Bank of France during the present week has been unusually heavy. According to the official report the amount on hand is two billion four hundred and fifty million francs less than on last Thursday.

During the night large crowds collected at various points in the city. They were dispersed by the troops and police, without bloodshed. Many arrests have been made, and it is thought that the troubles are ended.

The ministerial changes will not take place until the verification of the plebiscitum by the Chambers.

Marshal Canrobert has issued an order of the day to the army, which contains a letter from the Emperor addressed to marshals. The Emperor says: "Such absurd and exaggerated rumors have been reported concerning the vote of the army in Paris, that I am inclined to beg to say to you, generous officers and soldiers, that my confidence in the army has never been shaken." The letter concludes with thanks to the troops for their firmness and *sang froid* during the late troubles in the Capital.

This P. M. the Emperor and Empress, in an open carriage, visited the quarters of the city which have been the scene of disturbance for the last few days.

Symptoms of agitation are still apparent in Faubourg Du Temple. Detachments of troops are marching to Belleville, and the crowd in front of the Caserne Prince Eugene was dispersed to-day by the police.

Pere Hyacinthe is at Munich with Doctor Dollinger.

6 P. M.—The total vote on the plebiscitum is: Yes, 7,336,434; No, 1,560,709. Algeria—civilians, Yes, 10,791; No, 13,481. Army—Yes, 36,165; No, 6,029.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, May 12.—The journals agree that the Americans had the yacht race all their own way from the start. They take the national defeat in good part.

LONDON, May 12.—The English Engineers attach great significance to the speed of the steamship Nemesis, because of the experiments which have been made in the arrangement of her machinery for securing the utmost economy of coal.

The House of Lords to-day received the Royal assent to the naturalization bill, and adjourned.

Two hundred emigrants left to-day to embark for Quebec. The new steamer Caspian, of the Allen line, which was to sail this week for Quebec, was detained in consequence of the discovery of a defect in her machinery. The North American takes her place.

In the Commons, Sir J. Packington gave notice of an intention to press the inquiry into the loss of the steamship City of Boston.

Mr. Bruce, Home Secretary, denied that Her Majesty's Government had received any demand from France for the extradition of Gustave Flourens. Therefore he anticipated the popular demonstration which he had heard was to take place in Hyde Park against the surrender of the exile would not take place.

The second race between the Sappho and Cambria is postponed until Saturday, to enable Mr. Ashbury to lengthen the Cambria's bowsprit two and a half feet. Two tons have been added to the Cambria's ballast. Mr. Ashbury wishes to reduce the distance of the next race to thirty miles. Messrs. Bennett and Douglas have been invited to meet Mr. Ashbury, and sixty or seventy of the leading English yachtmen, at a grand dinner to be given in their honor, June 2d, at the Star and Garter, Richmond.

EDINBURGH, May 12.—The *Scotsman* comments on the swelling Scandinavian emigration to America via Glasgow. The Scotch iron-masters threaten a lock out.

DUBLIN, May 12.—Rev. Samuel Marcus Dill, D. D., Professor of Theology in Magill College, Londonderry, is dead.

GERMANY.

LEIPSIC, May 12.—M. J. Cramer, vice-Consul of the United States, was violently assaulted to-day by an American residing in this city. He was rescued by the police, and the assailant, whose name is withheld, arrested. No explanation was given.

ITALY.

FLORENCE, May 12.—Menotti Garibaldi was examined before a magistrate yesterday, in the matter of his alleged connection with the recent insurrection at Filadelfia. He absolutely denied the charge, and no proof to the contrary being forthcoming, was discharged.

MARINE NEWS.

LONDONDERRY, May 12.—The steamship Iowa, from New York, touched Moville to-day.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, May 12—Evening.—Consols, for money, 94⅜; for account, 96¾. American Securities are firmer: '62, 89; '65, 88¾; '67, 90¾; 10-40's, 85¾; Erie, 18¾; Illinois, 112; Great Western, 29. Stocks quiet.

LONDON, May 12.—Tallow, 44s 9d. Sugar firm. Whale oil is quiet. Turpentine dull at 29s 6d. Rosin quiet. Calcutta Linseed active at 62s. Linseed oil easier at £32@32 5s.

FRANKFORT, May 12.—Bonds closed firm.

ANTWERP, May 12.—Petroleum is firm.

HAVRE, May 12.—Cotton firm at 131f.

PARIS, May 12.—Bourse dull at 74f. 95c.

FRANKFORT, May 12.—Bonds firm at 95½@95¾.

LIVERPOOL, May 12.—Cotton firm at 11⅜d for middling uplands, and 11⅝d for Orleans; sales amounted to 12,000 bales. Wheat: white California held at 9s 9d; red western, No. 2, 8s 4d; winter, 9s. Flour: western, 20s 9d. Corn: No. 2 mixed, 30s. Oats, 2s 4d. Barley, 5s. Peas, 36s 6d. Pork is excited and held at 104s. Beef, 111s. Lard, 68s. Cheese, 75s. Bacon, 58s for Cumberland, and 63s 6d for short rib middles. Petroleum unchanged. Turpentine quiet at 29s 9d.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Rev. George C. Beckwith died at Boston, yesterday, of heart disease.

—The steamship Denmark, from Liverpool, arrived at New York yesterday.

—The troops for the Red River Expedition will leave Toronto on Monday next.

—The International boat race at La Chine, Canada, is arranged to come off on the 14th of September.

—A woman named S. E. Martin, was found drowned in the Ohio, at Cincinnati yesterday. Verdict, suicide.

—The Board for revising the artillery tactics of the United States army is in session at Fortress Monroe.

—Peter Geib, shoemaker, committed suicide yesterday, by hanging, in a room of the Franklin House, Columbus, Ohio.

—The people of Evansville, Ind., have decided to build a water works. The Holly system will probably be adopted.

—At Utica, New York, yesterday, Rev. W. S. Fisher, formerly President of the Hamilton College, was struck with apoplexy, but his recovery is hoped for.

—The Massachusetts Lodge of Masons, of which General Joseph Warren was the first Grand Master, celebrated its one hundredth anniversary yesterday.

—Memorial service in commemoration of the lives of Rev. Dr. Jno. McClintock, Bishop Edward Thomson and Calvin Kingsley was held Wednesday night in Music Hall, Boston.

—The strike at Kingsland Iron Works, Mo., Tuesday, was among laborers, not skilled workmen, who resisted the reduction of wages from $1.75 to $1.50 per day, and demanded $2.00.

—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of California has resolved to establish an Odd Fellows College and Home, and appointed a committee to take the necessary steps to carry out the same.

—Captain J. H. Johnson, formerly connected with the Louisville *Courier*, and extensively known as "Yuba Dam," died at Lexington, Ky., yesterday. He had been confined to bed for several months with consumption.

—Wednesday work was commenced on the central division of the Iowa Central Railroad, at Grinnell. A large concourse of people assembled near the college grounds, where bands played and cannons were fired in honor of the occasion.

—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, of California, yesterday elected C. W. Daniels Grand Master, and J. B. Harman Representative to the Grand Lodge of the United States. Congratulatory messages were interchanged with the Grand Lodge of Ohio.

—It was announced in the Canadian Parliament, Wednesday, that the money paid to the Hudson Bay Company, for the purchase of the Red River Territory, which will be transferred to Canada in a month, amounting to $1,464,000, had been appropriated for Northwest purposes.

—Morris Neville was put off a Terre Haute railroad train Tuesday at Plainfield, Indiana, because he had lost his ticket. He attempted to walk on the track to Greencastle, but was run over by a freight, smashing one of his legs terribly. He underwent amputation, and died Wednesday night.

—Senator Revels lectured at Cooper Institute, New York, Wednesday evening, on "The Tendencies of the Age." He claimed that the course of events in this country was toward liberty of thought and of action, in which caste, color of skin and aristocratic blood would have no part.

—A Havana correspondent, speaking of the execution of Goicouria, says the old gentleman was not moved by the difficulties of the position, and met death with great fortitude and composure. He was not given an opportunity to make an ante-mortem address, but still managed to shout "Viva Cuba," the beating of the drums preventing anything else he said from being heard. He wanted to be shot and not garroted, but the Spaniards would not consent to this, being bent upon his suffering the same kind of a death as his old friend and companion-in-arms, General Marcisso, suffered.

THE FENIANS.

A Large Body in Michigan, En Route For Red River—Doubtful Intelligence.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette)

CHICAGO, May 12.—The St. Paul *Press* publishes a letter from Duluth, which says that a largely body of armed Fenians had arrived at the latter place *en route* for Red River to aid Riell. Each man is armed with a breech loading rifle, pistol and knife. Their first stroke will be the capture of Fort Francis on Rainey Lake, which will be garrisoned by a few men, while the main force will harrass and dispute the passage of the British troops through rivers, swamps and mountains from Fort William to Red River. At the proper time they will march down and join Riell's forces. One party has already started overland by the Vermillion road, another will soon follow, and a third is preparing to go to the same destination in canoes via St. Louis and Vermillion rivers. Another large party is reported at Superior river, which will march directly west to Red River. The forces at Duluth are said to be commanded by a distinguished confederate officer who fought General Banks in the Louisiana campaign. The men are nearly all ex-soldiers. Many French Canadians accompany them and they have secured the services of several Indian and half-breed guides and one or two old employes of the Hudson Bay Company, who are perfectly familiar with the country to be operated in.

The *Press* does not vouch for the truth of the above intelligence.

Everything is quiet at Red River, and Riel is expecting favorable news from Canada.

International Young Men's Christian Association Convention.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, May 12.—The Indianapolis Young Men's Christian Association are making preparations on a large scale for the International Convention to be held here in June. The Pennsylvania Railroad and connections have perfected a through excursion route for delegates to the Convention as follows: Round trip tickets from New York $34; Philadelphia, $30,40; Harrisburg, $26,15; Baltimore, $29,70, and from local stations two cents per mile each way.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 12.—Offerings of beef cattle to-day were about 600. Market active and advances fully 25 cents per hundred pounds. Sheep: full supply and dull with downward tendency in prices, at $4¼@$7½ for sheep per head, and $2@3,50 for lambs per head. Supply of hogs fully equal to the demand and prices unchanged at 12¼@13¼c. Receipts for week were beeves, 763 head; sheep and lambs 2677 head; hogs 5,980. Sales for the week, 685 beeves.

Boston Workwomen.

There are 30,000 women in and about Boston who live by sewing; very few of them earn twelve dollars a week; the average earning is about two dollars and seventy five cents a week. Those who work in shops fare better than those who take work home. The price for a shirt is from four to seven cents; fine bosomed shirt, ten to twenty-five cents, satin vest, twenty cents; pantaloons, fifteen, twenty and thirty-seven cents; coats, fifty cents; French calico shirts, lined sack, faced skirt, twenty cents. The tailoresses and cloakmakers work ten hours in the shops, quitting at 6 P. M., and many of them take work home and sit up till 12. In good shops and with brisk work, they can earn a dollar a day—some of the best machine girls more; but the machine work is very wearing, and few girls can perform it more than two years without becoming entirely broken down. The girls pay from two to three dollars a week for room rent, and usually occupy rooms with two or more double beds. In the slop-work shops girls can seldom earn more than enough to pay their room rent, and they have to do overwork in order to get something to eat. In slack times their suffering is extreme, many being known to work for weeks with only bread and water for food, and very fortunate is she who can procure an ounce of tea; many have been found who have lived for weeks on five cents' worth of bread a week, while seeking work through cold and snow. Besides the lodging house-keepers discriminate against them, and charge them more for rent than they charge men; so that many of them have to sleep in dens where they would be ashamed to be seen going. And in spite of all their sufferings and temptations, very few of these women break down morally or become untidy in dress. Their heroic struggle for life, and for a virtuous life, is one of the most touching things in our modern civilization, and if one does fall, she ought to have the sympathy of all Christian people. And then, to think how unevenly the food and clothing are distributed in this world! What is wasted at almost any table in this city daily would feed one of these serving woman sumptuously. If only some one would invent a method of equitable distribution, the poor in Boston would thrive on the waste of the rich. We who do not know what it is to be hungry leave our Christian duty undone in suffering these women to be so wretchedly underpaid for work.—*Hartford Courant.*

Fashions—Fancy Sketch—Something We Should Laugh at if Seen in Africa.

We might have thought it absurd if Dr. Livingstone had written three years ago that he had found in Africa a tribe, the women of which dress as follows: "The Dayous are beautiful women, with exquisite complexion and fine forms, and they dress in the most perfect taste. They wear short dresses reaching the ankles. Upon the forehead is perched a small hat, the front of which rests upon the nose. They take large bags of hair and wool, saturate them with butter, and hang them on the back of the head, covering the neck. Upon the small of the back they tie a bunch of cotton cloth, colored and cut into strips. Their shoes are beauties, coming to a point at the toe, and having the long and sharp-pointed heel placed under the middle of the foot. This makes the foot very small in appearance, but the wearer would tip over forward but for the bags on the head and back. Each woman, when she goes out, carries a barge plantain leaf to keep off the sun, which she holds by the stem between the thumb and forefinger, crooking her elbow up from her body at an angle of ninety. The effect is more beautiful than you can imagine! The gait of the women is particularly admired. The heavy ones have difficulty in keeping their balance, but the light ones pick their way along as prettily as hens walk over hot ashes. Young girls go barefooted. For some years after they are of age to put on their shoes, they suffer with lameness and sore feet—after that their feet become permanently deformed, and they have no more pain. Walking is, however, not a favorite practice with them, and running is impossible. The Government of the Dayous is really democratic, the ruler being chosen annually by vote of all the people; yet it is said the women do not want to vote. All they care for is plenty of hair and little shoes. The men are satisfied with this division, and the State is quite prosperous, though the society is rather vulgar and unintellectual."

A Man's Head Sawed Off.

From the Paducah Kentuckian.

On Saturday evening last, about half-past two o'clock, a young man by the name of Brown, who was employed by his uncle, Samuel Brown of Brooklyn, Ills., to help him about his saw mill, met with an accident which proved instantaneously fatal. He was at work at the mill, and, slipping, fell against a saw which was a circular one. It caught him by the arm and drew him down until it touched his cheek. Brown made an effort to escape, but without avail. The saw went crashing through his skull, cutting the top part of his head entirely off and scattering his brains in every direction. An inquest was held and a verdict was rendered in accordance with the above facts.

Brown was a man of family, and a resident of Golconda, Ills. News of his death was conveyed to his wife, and she came down on the Idlewild, Sunday, and returned home with the body yesterday morning.

THIRD great auction sale of lots at McKeesport, on Monday 16th inst. Lots of original plan sold and are already being improved. Adjoining tract is subdivided into 60 equally beautiful building sites, all of which will doubtless be sold on Monday. McKeesport is going ahead. See advertisement.

GOOD RESIDENCE IN ALLEGHENY.—A first rate new dwelling on Sheffield street, is for sale at a greatly reduced price. An early application to A. Leggate, auctioneer, 159 Federal street, will secure advantageous terms.

GENTLEMEN who wear good furnishing goods will find a splendid assortment at Urling' Follansbee & Co.'s, No. 121 Wood street, corner of Fifth avenue.

VALUABLE DIAMOND PROPERTY AT AUCTION.—Wednesday, May 18th, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, will be sold that valuable three story brick house, No. 31 Pittsburgh Diamond, adjoining Edw. Heazelton, Esq.'s new warehouse. The lot has a twenty feet front on the Diamond and extending back in depth one hundred and twenty feet to Decatur. Parties desiring an investment or business property will find it to their advantage to attend this sale. Terms at sale.
J. H. STEWART, Auctioneer.
H. B. SMITHSON, Salesman. 5

SHOES, SHOES, SHOES, SHOES, SHOES.—A very large auction sale of seasonable boots, shoes and gaiters will be held at Leggate's auction house, 159 Federal street, Allegheny, on Friday, 13th inst. Sales at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M. The entire stock of a retail store having to be sold that day, rare, good bargains may be expected. Heads of families will find it profitable to attend.
3. A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the FIFTH AVENUE BANK of Pittsburgh will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, June 9th, at 8 o'clock, in THUM'S HALL, No. 241 Fifth avenue, for the purpose of amending Constitution and approval of By-Laws.
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☞ DIVIDEND.—The Board of DIRECTORS of the Fifth Avenue Bank have this day declared a dividend of $3 per share, free of Government and State Taxes, payable on and after June 1st next.
my13:w89 F. E. SCHENCK, Cashier.

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Brown Miss L
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Cox Enoch
Cox Mrs B L
Church & Co
D
Davis Mrs B
F
Fannings Ed
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THE recognized leaders of the free trade lobby, at Washington, are the soon-to-be ex-Commissioner Wells, Delmar and Donn Piatt.

THE pending tariff bill is virtually dead. The House, the Senate and the President are all decided against it. And the people don't want it, in its present shape. The great question of revenue and taxation is yet to be adjusted on some other issue.

IT is now proposed, at Washington, to leave the question of the legal term of the Georgia Legislature to the State authorities for their adjustment. We should prefer to submit either less or more than that to the same arbitrament. But almost anything, rather than to see the re-opening of an interminable discussion by Congress.

WE have a report of the remarks made by our Representative, Hon. JAS. S. NEGLEY, in the House, on the 11th inst., upon the bill to revive our commercial and mercantile interests. The speech is a long one, but replete with statistical information of the most valuable nature, and with deductions which build up a convincing argument. We shall make copious extracts from this speech to-morrow.

WEBSTER.

The second volume of Curtis' great work, "The Life of Daniel Webster," has too long escaped our notice. Mr. Curtis has so completed his task—a labor of love—as to justify that high personal appreciation which compelled the great statesman, his subject, to appoint him one of his literary executors. The editor has given to us a biography which is no less a faithful history of American politics for nearly forty years. The foremost lawyer and Senator, jurist and publicist, of his time, is living again in the pages, of a work which wholly succeeds in identifying the recent triumph of the Union as due in no small measure to the teachings of him who declared "The Union now and forever, one and inseparable."

In a former reference to the first volume of this work, we expressed an admiring sense of the fidelity and scholarly skill with which Mr. Curtis has handled the materials for this biography. The present volume fully supports our judgment. As a whole, his "Life of Webster" will take its place very high in the archives of American history. The agent (Mr. J. R. Cunningham, No. 62 Fourth avenue) informs us that it has been justly appreciated by all the people of culture in these cities.

WHY THIS WAS THUS.

—The best laid schemes
Of mice and men gang aft aglee!

We clip from the Philadelphia *Sunday Times* the following interesting contribution to political history:

> While the Watt-Diamond case was pending, the Hon. Benj. Harris Brewster, ex-Attorney General, was professionally retained by the Democrats, to go to Harrisburg, to influence the vote of Lowry for Diamond. Brewster and Lowry are "old chums" and bosom friends, and it was supposed that Lowry could be reached and controlled by the former—hence the alleged engagement. Brewster went to Harrisburg, but he did not make any impression upon the wily old Senator, who held aloof to see how the land laid, before committing himself.
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> If Kerr had gone with the Democrats, and Diamond been admitted, this would have made Lowry the "King of the Senate," (just what he wanted to be)—because he would have held the balance of the power between the Republicans and the Democrats. The understanding was said to be, that in consideration for his voting for Diamond, and in the event of his admission, then the virtuous Lowry was to vote for "coffee pot" Wallace for Speaker, which would have given the organization of that body to the Democrats. The Democrats, on their part, stipulated that if Lowry should not be nominated in his district by the Republicans, they would run no candidate in that district, but would cast their votes for Lowry, who was to run as an independent candidate, and with their aid, with such dissatisfied Republicans as would have supported him, they hoped to elect him.
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> This was a "nice little arrangement." But how was it knocked in the head? We will explain. Lowry confidently expected that Kerr would vote for Diamond, but a short time before the report in the case was prepared, an informal vote was taken in the Committee, and to the surprise of all, *Kerr voted in favor of Watt*. (This was after he had been "fixed.") Lowry, on that occasion, voted with the Democrats, to seat Diamond, but, discovering that Kerr had changed *his* ground, Lowry immediately changed front, and when the report was made out a few days afterward, giving Watt his seat, Lowry signed it, and thereby retained his standing with his party friends.

WHAT THEY SAY OF IT.

It may interest the reader to hear what is said by the New York press of the McFarland verdict.

The *Tribune* declines to comment, having full faith that the truth will ultimately vindicate itself, and that justice will be done to the memory of its murdered friend.

The *Post* says the trial was a farce and the murder a cowardly and long premeditated assassination, which is justified only by that prurient crowd which cares nothing for law in the abstract, as against personal feeling. The result is an open defiance of government, weakening the bonds of organized society, the civil order of which is now to be qualified by the private right of assassination. The *Post* concurs, in the late recommendation from the Governor of Mississippi, thus:

> The question whether one man killed another, and whether he did it wilfully, is properly for a jury to determine; but the question whether or not he is responsible for the killing is one which ought to be reserved for a special inquiry. If the plea of insanity is made, it ought to be decided entirely apart from all other questions, and by a different tribunal, expert in this question, and unembarrassed by personal sympathies, or by the pressure of feeling in a crowd. Until some amendment of this kind in our criminal procedure is made by law, there is no adequate security for life or for public order, against the malice of any man who may deem himself wronged beyond endurance.

The *Advertiser* regards the result, "shocking as it is but generally believed in by the great body of the people," as having "the effect to detract from the character of our criminal jurisprudence."

The *Standard* speaks of the Court as simply "a town-meeting," from whose judgment, as well as the influences which [illegible] it, that journal revolts. The Court has become the theatre of the murderer's glory. It thinks McFarland could only have been acquitted on the ground of insanity, and should have been ordered into confinement at once. This view is strengthened by its own report of a subsequent interview with the man, whose language was the most violent denunciations against all of Richardson's friends. If this interview is correctly reported, there will be more bloody work for juries to pass upon.

The *World*, which has maligned Sickles for taking the life of a man who was at the time in actually guilty relations with his wife, justifies McFarland's murder of a man against whom no crime has been proven. But the *World* respects the majesty of the "town-meeting," and hates the *Tribune*.

The *Times* regards the provocation as great, and the result as equally inevitable and justifiable.

—The opinions of all these journals are palpably biased by their personal and political relations to the parties most concerned, but not one of them, friend or foe, apologist or censor, succeeds in wholly concealing its perception of the mischiefs which such a verdict may entail upon society. Therein is the true judgment of civilization.

A New York dispatch says:

> There is a manifestation of reactionary feeling to-night on the ground that a very dangerous precedent has been established, and that the plea of insanity as laid down in this instance will screen murderers in nearly all cases hereafter. The belief that McFarland should have been convicted appears more prevalent than it was before the verdict was rendered. There is prospect of a sharp fight among newspapers again on this subject.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

MEMOIR OF THE REV. JOHN SCUDDER, M. D., Thirty-six years a Missionary in India. By Rev. J. B. Waterbury, D. D. Published by Harper & Brothers, New York. For sale by E. Miner, 71 and 73 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh.

Viewing the career of this extraordinary man in his double profession, as minister both to the soul and body of the heathen, his labors cannot be properly estimated in time, but only by the light of eternity. His biographer very justly says, a man who could open the eyes of the blind, inspired a reverence far greater than one who appeared simply as a Christian teacher. His two-fold profession gave him great favor. Unlike many who enter the missionary work, instead of restricting his field, he made extended trips into heathendom, and by his evangelistic labor accomplished great good. The rich fruitage arising from his devotion to this best of causes, is his best and crowning memorial. The volume is partly in journal form, and gives an insight into his habits and life, and of his devoted and heroic wife, that is trully inspiring to the Christian and philanthropist.

IN SPAIN AND A VISIT TO PORTUGAL. By Hans Christian Andersen, author of the "Improvisatore," etc., Author's Edition. Published by Hurd & Houghton, New York. For sale by J. W. Pittock, corner Fifth Avenue and Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

The contrast between the guide-book account of travel in Europe, and Mr. Andersen's racy sketches of men and things, in Spain and a visit to Portugal, never appeared so diverse to us before, and any one who will take the trouble to compare this work with one of the former, will be surprised at the difference. The reading of this book charms and almost dazzles the mind with the wealth of description, and of the delightful episodes of travel. The peculiarities of the people, its grand old cities, and ancient structures, its wonderful history in bygone years, are all presented in the glowing imagery and prose-poetic style of this gifted writer. The possession of all his delightful writings, in the elegant style now being issued by this house, is worth having.

BUSY BEES: or Winter Evenings in Margaret Russel's School. By the Author of "Squire Downings Heirs," etc. Published by Robt. Carter & Brothers, New York.

We are quite sure that the readers of this delightful story will agree with us, that the beautiful lessons, example, and instructions of one like Miss Russel, could not fail to produce a rich fruitage. The account of these "Busy Bees" should impart to our youthful readers lessons of wisdom, and habits of usefulness. The tone of the book is decidedly in favor of Christianity, and ought to do good.

BEN THE LUGGAGE BOY. By Horatio Alger, Jr. Published by A. K. Loring, Boston.

Many of our youthful readers have heard of "The Ragged Dick Series," by this popular writer. In portraying the ups and downs of this class of street boys, useful lessons are embodied, which will serve to guide others in the straits that may cross the pathway of the poor and unfortunate child. This volume depicts the history of a boy who had been favored with the comforts of a good home, and had run away to New York, because he had been chastised for an offence which he had not committed. After performing almost every kind of menial service, he saved money enough to enable him to cast off his rags and buy a new suit of clothes, and carry him home to his parents. His return caused great joy, and the lesson was not lost on either parents or boy. Boys will be glad to know that Mr. Alger will extend the series.

MAY MAGAZINES.

Harper's Monthly, as usual, is profusely illustrated, and superbly too. The illustrated articles are quite readable. The first, "Our Barbarian Brethren"—the last word might have been dropped—throws considerable light on the Indians—"Albert Durer," "Spots on the Sun," a valuable paper, "Life of Frederick the Great," an intensely interesting portion of his life, and "In a Country Store," are the other illustrated articles. This number contains several short stories, varied in their character, but absorbing and entertaining. The Editor's "Easy Chair" and "Editor's Drawer," fairly bristle with bright things. The new department, "Scientific Record," is a valuable acquisition. The superior manner in which this monthly is conducted illustrates the advanced position of journalism.

Lippincott's Magazine opens with Anthony Trollope's New Story, "Sir Harry Hotspur of Humble-thwaite." "The Echo of the Appomattox across the Atlantic" is a spirited article and will do good. Much interest may be gathered from the notes of travel in "Virginia." The admirers of "Hawthorne" will find a capital essay by Tuckerman. "How I found my Fate," and "The Coming Woman," will attract the reader. "The Cross in Legend, Poetry and Art," and "Eccentricity as a Pursuit," contain much of substantial interest. Rose Terry's pretty poem "Mary," ought to be read without fail. "Guesses and Guessers," is well written. The "Monthly Gossip" and "Literature of the Day" are discriminating and good. It is a capital number.

Putnam contains some excellent papers, commencing, "Our Celtic Inheritance," which is one of much excellence. "The Tale of a Comet" is rather amusing. Bayard Taylor's poem, "Notus Ignoto," is pretty. The sketch of "Pictures in the Private Galleries of New York," will amply repay the reader, and so will "Madame Roland," an article of thrilling interest. Crouch's "Musical Mystery" is quite readable. "A Woman's Right" by Mrs. M. C. Ames, is written in her charming style. Both "Polyglots," and "Our Political Degeneracy and its Remedy," are substantial papers. "Literature at Home," by R. H. Stoddard, and "Literature and Art Abroad," by Bayard Taylor, are prepared with the usual nice discrimination of these writers.

Golden Hours is a capital Magazine for boys and girls. It contains articles of the right sort for young people, and of a higher grade of moral tone than usually to be found in Monthlies for children. Articles like, "A Voyage up the Persian Gulf," "The Circassians," "The Elephant," are quite interesting and nicely illustrated.

The *Atlantic Monthly* gives three chapters of "Joseph and his Friend," by Bayard Taylor, which holds its interest firmly. "Signs and Show-Cases in New York," reveals some curious things. "My Secretaryship" will amuse, as well as instruct, and "The English Governess at the Siamese Court" is a charming paper. The poetic articles are numerous, varied and exceedingly fine. "The Legend of Jubal," by George Elliot, will attract attention. Bayard Taylor's "May-time Pastoral," is a dainty affair. The "Lanson Tragedy," and "Among the Isles of Shoals," are good. The paper on "Our Money Problem" is able and interesting. The remaining articles are quite good, and show much variety.

The *Galaxy* presents a fine list this month. After the usual installment of Reade's story, Thurlow Weed gives a chapter of rich experience of stage-coach traveling, nearly half a century ago. Dr. J. C. Draper's sterling article on "Nature and Dress," ought to be widely read. "Chanet" is good, but for startling revelations. "Ten Years in Rome," will command thoughtful attention. Justin McCarthy writes better than the worthiness of the subject. Gen. McClellan's article on the late Marshal Burgeaud, is well written and full of historical merit. Richard Grant White's paper, entitled, "The Lady Gruach's Husband," is worthy of the writer. The different editorial departments appear to good advantage. The new one, "Memoranda," by Mark Twain, is an amusing affair.

Old and New for May presents a very inviting list of articles. "Looking Back Across the War-gulf," by Robert Dale Owen, is a spirited sketch. "Now," contains a lesson for the times. The article on "Catholicism and Protestantism" is able and entertaining, and the "Mormon Problem" indicates the thoroughness of the author's views and resources. "Religion in Schools" is quite opportune. The poetry is quite good and seasonable. Despite the dogmatic views of the theological contributors, the articles of this type are usually scholarly and high toned. This monthly is printed in elegant style, and worthy of imitation by other magazine publishers.

Our Young Folks is worthy of the month, and of its fair name, both as regards the illustrations and the letter text. The two full paged pictures "Spring Whistles" and "Grandmother's Bedside," are charming, in fact all the wood cuts are in fine taste. Such articles as "We Girls," "What I Saw in China," "Mr. Clarence Calls on the President," will give an idea of the excellent articles in this month's number.

The Ladies' Repository is not, strictly speaking, a ladies' book, but each number contains reading for the old and young of both sexes. Each number has two elegant steel engravings, besides wood cuts. Its tone is chaste, moral and elevating. The articles are quite varied, as may be seen from the following: "Modern Forms of Theistic Naturalism," "Rudolph Steir's Courtship," "The Miracle at Nain," "Oliver Goldsmith," "Life in Paris," "The Woman Movement," etc.

Hours at Home commences a new volume with this number. The first article will attract attention, in view of the feeling so broadcast on the subject, namely: "Popular Education vs. Sectarianism." "Oriental Weddings" is full of interesting incidents. "Diet en Masse" and "Pink and Blue" are worthy of a reading. Wilkinson's "Three Kinds of Scripture" is brief but pointed, and "Symbolism of Numbers" presents some curious facts. The other prose articles are worthy of reading, and the poetry is quite good. The editorial departments maintain their excellent features.

The Anglo-American Magazines, published by Lippincott, of Philadelphia, are deservedly popular, at least those for May, as we only see them occasionally. *The Sunday Magazine* is a publication of much excellence. Beside the serial articles, "Episodes in an Obscure Life" and "The Struggle of Ferrara," there are a number of others of an interest character. *Good Words* opens with "Ferryhurt Court," followed with "Letters from the Tropics," by Kingsley. Poems by Jean Ingelow, Robert Buchanan and Sydney Dobell are sandwiched between the charming prose articles. "Days in North India," by the editor, is good. Considerable space is taken by "Dorothy Fox." *Good Words for the Young* is a capital magazine for young people. The matter and the illustrations are suitable and instructive. The story of "Ronald Bannerman's Boyhood," by the ediior, Rev. George McDonald, is very fine. Two or three of the other articles are serials, and very entertaining.

COURTESIES OF THE PRESS.

Thanks to our friends for the following:

THE Pittsburgh *Gazette* has appeared in a new dress, and is typographically one of the handsomest papers in the State. Always staunch, and true, and able, the recognized exponent of the sturdy Republicans not only of Allegheny county, but of Western Pennsylvania, we trust that its circulation may grow with its years, as its usefulness will increase with its prosperity.—*Somerset Herald.*

THE Pittsburgh *Gazette* in its new dress is brighter than ever. By its steady pull in the ranks of Right, it is widely known as the "Old Reliable *Gazette*," an honorable title we hope it may live to enjoy for many years to come.—*Zanesville Courier.*

THE *Gazette* is one of the most prosperous as well as one of the most reliable and able papers in the Keystone State.—*Tuscarawas Chronicle.*

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ALTHOUGH the *Gazette* is more than eighty years old, it is as vigorous as any of its youthful cotemporaries, and the new suit which it has donned is a gratifying evidence that the people of Pittsburgh appreciate its enterprise and spirit.—*Altoona Sun.*

THE Pittsburgh *Gazette* since it got into its new quarters, has doffed the old and appears in a splendid new dress, as neat and clean as a "Quaker lady" in a drab suit on a holiday. Long may it live and enjoy the prosperity which its new dress indicates.—*Lawrence Journal.*

THE *Gazette* is always a welcome visitor, for its able editing. Now it will be doubly welcome that the neatness of new type has rejuvenated the old sheet.—*Akron Beacon.*

THE old and excellent *Gazette* newspaper comes to us in a beautiful new dress—the spring style, eh!—and is handsomer than ever. It is an able and honest champion of Republican journalism, and well deserves the generous support it enjoys.—*Meadville Republican.*

THE Pittsburgh *Gazette* appeared on Monday in a new suit of type, which materially improves the appearance of our able and popular cotemporary. The GAZETTE is nearly a century old, and is a journalistic institution that Pittsburgh could not dispense with, any more than it could with the graceful structure which connects it with its rapidly growing sister city, Allegheny. Both are beautiful and indispensable.—*Pottsville Journal.*

THE *Gazette* is one of the most reliable Republican papers in the State, staunch in its politics and ever to be found denouncing the wrong and advocating the right. No half-way milk and water Republicanism about the *Gazette*, but fearless when advocating the principles of its party, and always ready to advance the interests of that party. It is looked upon as the organ of the Republican party in Allegheny county because of its reliability, and because of the ability with which it is conducted.—*Kittanning Republican.*

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.—This sterling Republican paper makes its first appearance in May in a bran new dress. It is an honest, faithful supporter of its party and its State, reliable and enterprising in its news department and will meet with the success it richly deserves and has fairly earned.—*Oil City Times.*

THE Pittsburgh *Gazette*, a journal we read with special interest and endorse as a faithful exponent of Republicanism, appears this morning in a new typographical dress, and looks every way the personification of neatness. The *Gazette*, aside from its undoubted fealty to principle, is valuable as a family journal, and its commercial department is unrivaled.—*Steubenville Herald.*

OUR GERMAN PRESS.

The *Volksblatt* discusses the different systems of nominating candidates. It says both systems are good if they be properly used, and this "if," is the hook on which the whole question hangs. If a few political hacks control the ward meetings and conventions, or can openly cheat at the polls—who is to blame but the people themselves, who are either too lazy to attend the primary meetings, or too apathetic to punish swindling and corruption at the first good opportunity? It is all right to denounce corruption; but it does no good but one must go to work to make things better. Often the remark is heard: "I don't want to go to the primary meetings among the rowdies where I am ashamed to find myself—I'd rather stay away and let them do what they choose." That is precisely the hook. How can things be better if no one will disturb existing evils?

The *Republikaner* goes for Congress as usual with its sharpest stick. Besides this it has a translation from the *Revolution* upon the woman's rights movement; a short article upon Arizona and its prospects of soon becoming a State; and a sarcastic article upon German begging, in which it objects to the growing custom of asking money from American Germans, for carrying out projects—such as the Hermann memorial—in the Fatherland.

Under the head of "Murder Rewarded," the *Freiheit's Freund* handles the McFarland trial severely. After remarking upon the jubilation in the court room at the announcement of the verdict, and the idea it would give a stranger of American morality, it says: "The whole process was a farce; the jury knew as well as McFarland himself that before the law the deed was nothing else than a premeditated murder; probably not one of the jury believed the accused to be insane.

"We have previously remarked that the fault lies in the fact that in cases like this of McFarland public opinion does not agree with the law. The law punishes with Death every premeditated murder, and makes no difference on account of the *motive* for the deed; but public opinion *does make* a difference, and decidedly objects to punishing with death a husband who murders the seducer of his wife (be she more or less guilty). So long as the law remains unchanged, absurd trials like this will be constantly repeated."

NEIGHBORHOOD POLITICS.

IN Butler county, the announcement of candidates are as follows: *Congress*, E. McJunkin; *Assembly*, Dr. S. H. Matheson, Capt. J. S. Bippus, Dr. Amos Lusk, A. D. Wier, Geo. W. Fleeger; *Associate Judge*, Dan'l Fiedler, J. W. Brandon, H. C. McCoy; *Commissioner*, Rob't Allison, Robert Barron; *Auditor*, Dr. H. A. Wise.

THE *Citizen* speaks highly of Captain Gillespie, but adds: "At some other time we would have no objection to see him go to Congress; but not now. Our county is entitled to the next nomination, and we mean to have it. You must wait, Captain."

IN Armstrong, the primary elections are called for June 4th. The candidates now offering are, *Congress*, C. B. Gillespie, D. Phelps; *Assembly*, R. W. Smith, R. Thompson, M. M. Steel; *Judge*, Isaac Kinnaire; *Attorney*, J. O. Barret; *Sheriff*, R. D. Ellwood, C. McClatchey, D. C. Quigley, R. G. Curren; *Commissioner*, W. P. Lowry, J. K. Ormand, S. H. Smith, Thos. Herron.

The Crawford County System.

We have been asked frequently of late, what has become of the Crawford County System of nominating candidates in this county, and whether any change in the old system is contemplated. In reply we would say that the subject was left to a committee, appointed at a meeting of the County Committee last September, together with a system of equal representation by delegates, chosen on the basis of the Republican vote in each district, and seems to have slumbered in the hands of that Committee since, as we have never heard of them making any report. To our mind, however objectionable the present system may be, we think the Crawford County System much worse, and we have no doubt that the party, after making a trial of it, would unite their experience with that of others who have tried it, in pronouncing it a humbug. The Democrats of Bedford county, after a year's experience, have, in Convention, by an almost unanimous vote returned to the old delegate system. We have recently conversed with a number of Republicans in Blair county, all of whom are heartily tired of it and are anxious to abandon it. One very strong objection to it is the injustice it does to candidates living in the country, the advantage all being in favor of the man who resides in some large town, where he has the opportunity of getting all his friends out to the primary meetings with comparatively little exertion, while others living in sparsely settled districts in the country labor at a great disadvantage, owing to the well known difficulty of getting the voters out in rural districts. In addition to this, there are other features of the system that render it objectionable in many other respects. The system of apportioning the delegates according to the number of Republican voters in each district, it seems to us, would be decidedly preferable, and no doubt a much better method of securing a fair representation, and of doing justice to all parties in the nominating conventions. These, however, are only our views on the subject, and the suggestions are thrown out for what they are worth.—*Huntingdon Journal.*

Instruct Your Legislators.

As the time approaches for nominating candidates for the Legislature, it would be well for the people of both parties, in their majority counties, to instruct their candidates for the Legislature on the subject of the deposits in the sinking fund. There are some nine millions of dollars in various kinds of securities now in that fund. Last winter a scheme almost succeeded to steal that vast sum, and apply it to uses other than those fixed for it by the Constitution. The men engaged in that bold scheme, although they were defeated, will repeat their efforts to secure this same object next winter. Hence the only safety of the people hereafter is to instruct their legislators, and also not to re-elect any man who voted for this measure last winter. If the people fail to do this they will find before the close of 1871 that the State Treasury has been robbed of nine millions of dollars, and that loss will be added to their *pro rata* of taxation. We warn the people now when it is time to act. If the taxpayers neglect their business in this connection, they will have themselves to blame. Those who are interested in making this great cheat a success, we do not for a moment doubt, are already engaged in arranging for the election of men to the Legislature who will do their bidding in over riding another veto by Governor Geary, by two-thirds vote. The people can put a stop to this. If they fail to do their duty, they will have themselves to blame if they are robbed.—*Butler Citizen.*

Divorces in Connecticut.

Among the interesting statistics which Governor English has just communicated to the Legislature of Connecticut in his annual message we observe that the number of divorces in the State is put down at four hundred and eighty-one. This is stated to be the largest number ever known in any single year; and in the opinion of the Governor, it is to be ascribed to the exceedingly loose laws of the State relating to divorce. Many of these cases of the dissolution of the nuptial tie doubtless were brought to Connecticut from other States; but it is to be remembered that they were brought there only because of the greater facility with which divorces may be obtained. For some years past the statistics of Connecticut are said to have shown, according to President Woolsey's recent work on the subject, that the proportion of divorces to marriages is a little more than one to ten. During the last year, however, the figures of Governor English make this proportion as upwards of one to four. The marriages within the State are given as 1,754, and the divorces, as we have stated, 491. We are not surprised that the Governor is troubled at the increasing ratio, and thinks it worthy of legislative attention.

THERE are many reasons given in explanation of the opposition to the Northern Pacific Railroad bill in the House. In the first place, the members representing those States directly interested in the Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific Railroad oppose the building of the Northern Pacific road, because it competes with these roads. Then a number of free traders are inimical to the bill, for the reason that it contains a clause compelling the road to use American steel rails, which they think is in the interest of home protection, and an unnecessary blow to "revenue reform." Then come a large number of members, mostly from the Eastern States, who are of the opinion that it is political suicide with their constituents for them to vote away so much of the public domain, and lastly come those members, before giving their votes for such measures, would like to have some recognition in the way of stocks or bonds, should they fail to be returned to Congress, and become ex-members. A protest has been prepared by the minority, which it is expected will be accepted as a compromise. This protest is ready, but the friends of the bill refused to allow it to be read, for the reason, as they say, that it is a simple piece of demagogism which should not be tolerated.

THERE is no longer any doubt of the fate of the Tariff bill. It may possibly, under the pressure of the Ways and Means Committee, succeed in getting through the House, although of this there is grave doubt; but there is no possibility of its passage by the Senate. This opinion is given after a pretty thorough canvass of the leading men in the Senate, who affirm that the present tariff is satisfactory to the country for this year, and that it is not a proper time, even if Congress had the opportunity, which it has not, owing to the backward condition of business, to revise it. It is also held that by the time Congress meets again, the finances and business of the country will be in a more settled condition, and that an easier and more equitable adjustment can then be made. It is believed that there is a clear majority in the House in favor of recommitting the bill, and some of the Pennsylvania members assert that they believe that the whole delegation except Mr. Kelley, would now vote in favor of a square proposition to recommit. In any event the bill will fail, for the opposition to its consideration by the Senate at this time.

THE latest reliable news from Washington is to the effect that a material change has taken place in the views of General Grant and his Cabinet on the Senate Funding bill. It is stated that General Grant is in favor of continuing the purchasing of bonds by the Government to the full extent of the surplus in the Treasury.

NEWS from the Darien Canal expedition is still unfavorable. The Caledonia Bay route is pronounced impracticable. The Indians continued friendly. A telegraph line is being successfully built.

EDITORS GAZETTE: I saw in this morning's GAZETTE a local notice mentioning the fact of my name being spoken of as a probable candidate for the District Attorneyship of Allegheny county for the next term; also you say you do not know whether I am an aspirant for the position or not. In answer I beg leave to say that until within the past few days I was not, but inasmuch as several prominent members of the bar, as well as numerous others not members of the bar, have suggested the matter to me, and urged that I become a candidate, I have finally concluded to yield to their wishes, and I do hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office in question, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention when called for the purpose of nominating a candidate for said office.

Respectfully yours, &c.
GEO. R. COCHRAN.

PITTSBURGH, May 12, 1870.

ALLUDING to the report that he would send a special message to Congress on the subject of internal taxation, and making suggestions on the subject of the tariff, the President said he would do nothing until the House had disposed of the Tariff bill now under discussion, which he believed stood no chance whatever of being passed. If the present bill fails, the President will send a brief message to Congress, setting forth his views on the Tariff question and suggesting the placing of many articles, not now included, on the free list, and reducing the duties on many others. In regard to internal taxation, the President believes that all the revenue required can be raised from six articles, viz: Malt and spirituous liquors, stamps, gas and incomes, and that it will not be necessary to continue the taxes on other articles.

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Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 120 BROADWAY, corner of Cedar street, New York, until WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the Grading, Masonry, Bridging and Ballasting of that portion of the Northern Pacific Railroad in the State of Minnesota, extending from the Dalles of the St. Louis river to the Red river, the western boundary of Minnesota (a distance of about 230 miles), including everything requisite to complete the road-bed for a single track, and necessary side tracks, ready to receive the rail superstructure.
The said Company will also receive proposals, at the same time and place, for the timber cross-ties, and for the iron rails, spikes and fixtures for the road as above. The iron rails to be delivered on the dock at Duluth, Minnesota, or at the crossing of the Mississippi river, and the ties received according to blank forms, which will be ready for distribution on WEDNESDAY, May 4, 1870, at the office of the Company, as above, where plans of the structures, and maps and profiles of the road, with full specifications, can then be seen, and the time allowed for the completion of the contracts made known.
The Company reserve the right to reject any or all bids not deemed to be for the interests of the Company.
Printed circulars containing full information will be furnished on application, by mail or otherwise, to EDWIN F. JOHNSON, Chief Engineer, or to the President of the Company, at the office, No. 120 BROADWAY, as above.
J. GREGORY SMITH,
President Northern Pacific Railroad Co.
NEW YORK, April 26, 1870. my10

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THE OFFICE OF THE
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Has been removed from No. 37 Fifth avenue, to
No. 67 FOURTH AVENUE,
BETWEEN MARKET AND WOOD STREETS.
C. J. DONNELL, Secretary.
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The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings
Has removed from No. 67 to 61 FOURTH AVENUE, in the Merchants and Manufacturers Bank building. ap12

REMOVAL.
ALDERMAN JAMES LINDSAY
Has removed his office, from corner of Webster avenue and Washington street, to No. 187 FIFTH AVENUE. au14:v82

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The Monongahela Insurance Company
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THE DAILY GAZETTE.

MONEY AND COMMERCE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
NEW YORK, May 12, 1870.

The money market is easy at 3a5 on call. All markets at the Stock Exchange are weak this afternoon on the report from Washington that the House Committee on Banking and Currency will report back without amendments the bill authorizing the retirement of $45,000,000 of 3 per cent. certificates and $50,000,000 legal tenders, and issue in place thereof $95,000,000 in new National Bank notes, which is a measure of severe contraction. Gold weak, owing to this report, and opened at 115⅛ and closed at 114⅞. Carrying rates 3a6, closing at 3. Clearances $45,000,000, Exports to Havana, $10,000. Sterling dull and weak at 9¼a9⅜.

Late this afternoon private dispatches contradicted the report in regard to the bill authorizing the retirement of 3 per cent. certificates and legal tenders. It is said important amendments will be made before the bill is reported.

Governments firm. Coupons '81, 17@17⅛; do '62, 12⅛@12¼; do '64, 11⅛@11¼; do '65, 11⅛@12; do new, 16⅛@16¼; do '67, 16⅛@16¼; do '68, 14⅛@14¼; 10-40s, 8⅜@8⅝. Currency 6's. 12¼@12⅜.

The Treasury bought one million at 111 54-100@111 85-100.

The weekly treasury statements show a coin balance of $112,000,000, and currency $250,000.

State bonds firm: Massachusetts 93½; old Tennessee 60½, new 56; old Virginia 69, new 69¼; old North Carolina 47⅛, new 25½.

Private telegrams state that the B. & O. Co. has leased the O. & M. road on terms favorable to the latter. In the stock market the Washington telegram spoken of above was the signal for a general stampede to sell, and the decline ranged from 1 to 4 per cent. In leading railway shares there was a very large number of weak speculators shaken, and subsequently on the denial of the telegram the market recovered ½@1½ per cent., but afterwards declined again, and was feverish and unsettled, closing weak at the lowest price of the day. The features were Lake Shore, Ohio and Mississippi, Northwestern, Wabash, St. Paul, Rock Island and New York Central. The following were the closing prices:

Canton, 72½; Cumberland, 46; Western Union Telegraph, 32⅝; Quicksilver, 10; Mariposa, 8¾; preferred, 17¼; Adams Express, 66; Wells, 14; American, 42½; United States, 44⅝; Pacific Mail, 40⅜; New York Central, 150; Scrip, 90⅛; Erie, 23⅛; preferred, 47; Harlem, 146; preferred, do; Reading, 102⅝; Michigan Central 125; Lake Shore, 98⅝; Illinois Central, 143; Pittsburgh, 107; North Western, 79; prefer'd, 90⅛; Rhode Island, 121; New Jersey Central, 108⅛; St. Paul, 66⅛; preferred, 80⅛; Wabash, 56⅝; Fort Wayne, 96⅛; Terre Haute, 35; preferred, 64; Chicago and Alton, 114; preferred, 115; Ohio and Mississippi, 36⅝; Hartford and Erie, 6; Dubuque, 108¼; St. Joe, 111⅛; C. C. & I. C. 18⅛; C. C. & C. 79.

Sub Treasury balance. Gold $769,556,61. Currency $419,797,71. General $816,611,30.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, May 12, 1870.

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	115⅛	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1865	14⅛
U. S. 6s, 1881	17	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1867	14⅛
U. S. 5-20 1862	12⅛	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1868	14⅛
U. S. 5-20 1864	11⅛	U. P. R. R.	87⅛
U. S. 5-20 1865	11⅛	C. P. R. R.	92⅛
U. S. 10-40	8⅜	Cy. Pacifics	12⅛

PITTSBURGH CATTLE MARKET.

EAST LIBERTY STOCK YARDS, THURSDAY, May 12, 1879.

CATTLE.

The cattle trade continues very slow and unsatisfactory and what is worse still, there is no prospect at present of any immediate improvement. There were plenty of buyers in attendance, in fact the number was unusually large, and even at advanced prices, the supply did not begin to supply the demand. The delegation from Philadelphia was very full, including Messrs. Maynes, McArdle, Case, Aull; from New York, Briggs, Lamb & Martin, Klemen, Kelley; Hartzell, from Lancaster, and Moses from Easton. In addition to these, there were quite a number of others, whose names we cannot now recall; for Philadelphia, up to noon to-day, but a single car load had been bought, whereas, from the number of buyers, it would have taken 25 or 30 car loads to have supplied them properly. New York got the lion's share, though the New York buyers were not half supplied, and while many of these eastern buyers will be obliged to return home as they came, without a single bullock, we do not believe that any of them got the number they would like to have had. The supply was again light, unusually so, and to-day at noon there were not a half dozen cattle in the pens unsold, and we can not expect as many buyers next week, as drovers, like other people, are not disposed to squander their time and money in coming here when there is no probability of their being able to buy, when the chances are that next week will be similar to this, plenty of empty pens and no cattle.

Then there is another view of the case, and it is no better. There is little or no money in handling stock at these prices, and the only reason why it is persisted in is that drovers must keep up their trade, even if there is no money in it, and what is true of the drovers is equally applicable to the butchers. We know that people are complaining about the prices of meat and they have good reasons for so doing, but the drovers and butchers are not to blame for it. They would much rather have prices down two or three dollars per cwt, as they could then handle more stock with the same amount of capital and make more money. There is an universal complaint among stock men (excepting the stock growers) in regard to these exorbitant prices, and no one we are sure, would rather see a big [illegible] Cattle must be scarce, [illegible] sustained. If cattle were plenty, [illegible] kets would soon be filled, as holders [illegible] anxious to take advantage of the [illegible] prevailing, and it is altogether [illegible] the arrivals for the next [illegible] will continue meagre [illegible] grass cattle [illegible] market.

FRIDAY, MAY 6.

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Hazlewood & B. for [illegible]			
" " "	32	35,580	[illegible]

TUESDAY, MAY 10.

H. L. & Co. for G. Berry	18	13,780	6 40
" " "	19	17,030	6 75
" " "	3	3,120	7 00
" " R. Thompson	50	36,640	6 00
" " "	5	2,630	5 00

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11.

H. L. & Co. for L B Doud	110	132,930	8 30
" " " R Thompson	17	18,550	7 37
" " " G Berry	17	20,050	7 00
" " " Holmes & P	34	38,370	8 00
Stuart to Entriss	16	18,500	8 37
" " Roth	34	37,690	8 30
Orr & Williams for Boles	14	17,460	7 70
" " " "	16	21,900	8 50

THURSDAY, MAY 12

J. Scott to W. Kelly	54	60,100	7 56
" " "	18	26,280	7 00
" " "	30	41,800	9 00
W. H. Sands to G. Fritz	16	21,030	8 50

SHEEP.

The arrivals this week were somewhat larger than last week but with plenty of buyers and a continued active demand, prices are fully sustained, and to-day there were but few if any in the pens unsold. Clipped sheep sold at from 5@6½, and these may be regarded as the extremes of the market. Good 80@85 lb averages, may be quoted at 6⅛@6½, and 90 lb averages at 6½@6¾. There are but very few wooled sheep offering, and buyers do not seem to make any difference between wooled and clipped, and everything being equal, they prefer the latter.

HOGS.

The Hog market is moderately active with a supply just about equal to the demand. Compared with this day week, prices, especially for the better grades, are about a ¼ lower, but at the decline, about all that offered were taken, and to-day there were but few if any unsold. Philadelphia Hogs, quoted at 9.62½@9.80, and Yorkers at 9@9¼.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The market is inactive, yet prices are generally steady, at 15c for Atlantic A and Indian Head brown sheetings, 14c for Cabot A, 11½c for Agawam F and Pittsfield A, 12½c for Atlantic V, 32½c for 9-4 Monadnock, 35c for 9-4 Allendale, 40c for 9-4 Pepperell, 45c for 10-5 do, 50c for 10-4 Pequot, 10a11c for Sprague's old and new style fancy prints, 11½c for Pacific Mills, do for Freeman's, 40c for Amoskeag blue denims, 20c for Otis C C do, and 12½a13½c for American striped sheetings.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, May 12.—Cattle active and firm, at $6@8.50 for stockers to extra prime shipping steers. Hogs active and 10a15c higher, at $9.50 for fair to extra prime.

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—Cattle: prime and choice scarce, and wanted, with prices tending up to $5@7⅝. Hogs firm at 3?@9⅛ for light to heavy.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, May 12, 1870.

Trade generally is quiet and our general markets are devoid of anything new or important. There is a continued steady demand for most of the leading articles and a fair business in the aggregate, though there is room for improvement. In regard to values, there are no important changes, none at least deserving of special notice.

ASHES—Firmer in the east but unchanged here. Common Soda, 4; refined, 4½; Pearls, 9½; Pots, 7½.

APPLES—Continue quiet and unchanged, and the season is almost over. We continue to quote at $4@5 per bbl.

BUTTER—There is no improvement to note in the demand, and farmers and pedlers appear to be supplying the retail trade, and outside of that there is no inquiry. We continue to quote, at 20@25, for fair to choice roll.

BEANS—Continue dull but unchanged, ranging from $1,50@2 per bushel.

BROOM CORN—Is dull but unchanged, 13@16 cts per pound.

CHEESE—Sales of Ohio Goshen at 16@16½; and New York Goshen at 17@18. New Western Reserve, is quoted at 13@14 cts.

CARBON OIL—Demand continues light but prices remain unchanged, 24 cts for standard brands.

CORNMEAL—Quiet and unchanged, 95@$1 per bushel.

DRIED FRUIT—Demand rather better, particularly for the better grades. Apples, 6@7c. Peaches, 7@8 for quarters and 8@9 for halves, as to quality. Blackberries, 13@14c.

EGGS—Continue quiet and unchanged, 14 cts, for fresh packed.

FEATHERS—Live geese feathers are quoted at 85@90, with the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—The market is firm but the demand is only moderate, and notwithstanding prices are up considerably in the west, it seems almost impossible to make an advance here. We continue to quote western flours, in store at $5,25@5,50 for spring wheat; $5,75@6 for winter wheat, and $7@7½ for fancy brands.

GRAIN—There is a steady milling demand for wheat, and with light offerings prices are firm but unchanged; $1,15@1,20 for red and $1,25@1,30 for white. Oats steady and the receipts are falling off but prices remain unchanged; 47@48 in first hands, buyers furnishing sacks; 50, on wharf and track, and 52@53, in store. Corn is scarce and in demand, and ear sells readily, on wharf or track, at 85 for ear and 90 for shelled. Sales of Rye at 95@97, cash, and $1, time. Barley is quiet and unchanged; 85 to 90 for good to prime spring.

HAY—Continues very dull and baled may be quoted, on wharf, at $14@17.

LARD OIL—Extra No. 1, $1,30@1,33, and No. 2, 90.

POTATOES—Continue very dull and holders are anxious to realize. We continue to quote Peach Blows at 3@40c.

PROVISIONS—The western markets are reported dull and a little offish, but here there is a steady jobbing demand and as yet prices are maintained. Plain Shoulders, 13½@13¾; Sugar Cured do, 14½@14¾; Ribbed Sides, 16½; Short Rib, 17; Clear, 17½; Plain Sugar Cured Hams, 18½@19½; Canvassed do, 19½@19¾. Lard, in tierces, 17½@17¾; in kegs, 18½@18¾. Mess Pork, $30@31.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, May 12, 1870.

The oil market has recovered somewhat from the panic, (if such it can be called) which prevailed yesterday, and while prices are no higher, the feeling is steadier, and confidence is again being restored. There is no doubt but what the reported increased production was the principal cause of the reaction on Wednesday, and the fact that this month is expected to show a larger increase than April, is not without its effect, and is calculated to make operators generally a little "bearish." It was rumored this afternoon that the reports of the "Oil Producers Association" would show about twelve thousand barrels, which, if correct, is an increase, according to their own reports, over March, and will tend somewhat to confirm the belief that the Titusville *Herald* is not far wide of the mark. Be this as it may, however, the production is large, nearly two thousand barrels per day greater than at this time last year, and the fears at one time entertained that the Venango Oil regions might give out, are not likely to be realized, judging from present indications.

CRUDE.

Market fairly active and steadier though unchanged. Sales 1,000 bbls spot at 12¾; 1,000 each September, October and November, at 13; 2,000 seller 60 days at 12¾; 1,000 do at 12¾; 2,000 buyer June at 12¾; and 2,000 buyer July at 12¾.

REFINED.

Sales 500 each July to December at 28¾; 1,000 bbls last half May at 27¾; 2,500 June at 27¾; 5,000 July at 28. Buyer all yer nominal at 30¾. Market, as in case of crude, is steadier and a shade firmer, but as will be seen, prices compared with yesterday, have undergone no quotable change.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

A B Mills 80, on account W Bartle; J Wilkins 160, on account A S Palmer; W McCutcheon 640, on account E H Long.
Total 880 bbls.

OIL SHIPMENTS PER A. V. R. R.

Citizens Oil Co., 100 bbls refined oil, to Tack Bros., Philadelphia.
J. W. Alexander, 50 bbls ref. oil to A. R. McHenry, Phila.
J. C. Kirkpatrick & Co., 288 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Montzheimer, K. & Co., 150 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Lockhart, F. & Co., 772 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
National Refining Co., 248 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
J. M. Riter, 244 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bro. & Co., Phil'a.
McKelvy Bro. & Co., 410 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bro. & Co. Phila.
Total 2,262 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED BY W. P. R. R.

Union Ref. and S. Co., 493 bbls ref. to Logan Bro. & Co., Phila.
Kirkpatrick & Lyon, 261 bbls ref. to Logan Bro. & Co., Phila.
Ralston & Waring, 266 bbls ref. to Poultney & Moal, Baltimore.
A. Hertz, 100 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
Model Refinery, 400 bbls ref. to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
Mentzer, H. & Co., 265 bbls ref. to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Total 1,784 bbls.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Cotton less active and unchanged, with sales of 1172 bales at 23⅛c for middling uplands. Receipts of 13,029 bbls flour unchanged, with sales of 7200 bbls at $4.95@5.15 for super State and western, $5.20@5.95 for extra State, $5.20@6 for do extra western, $5.25@5.50 for shipping brands of extra round hoop Ohio, $5.60@6.60 for extra brands do, $5.70@6.50 for white wheat extra western, $5.75@6.00 for extra St. Louis and $6.10@8.25 for good to choice do. Rye flour quiet, with sales of 200 bbls at $4.50@5.65. Corn meal unchanged. Whiskey firm but less active, sales 450 bbls west'n free at $1.10@1.11; closing inside. Grain; Wheat, receipts 42,164 bush; wheat 1@2c lower and less active, shippers and millers holding off; sales 69,000 bush at $1.14 for No 3 spring, $1.18@1.21½ for No 2 spring, $1.26 for No 1 spring to arrive, $1.32@1.34 for winter red and amber western, and $1.40 for white Michigan. Rye quiet and unchanged. Barley and Barley Malt nominally unchanged. Corn: receipts 11,200 bush; corn dull and a shade lower, with sales 35,000 bush at $1.12@1.15 for new mixed western and $1.16@1.19 for yellow western, the latter an extreme. Oats: receipts 8,760 bush; oats active, excited and 1@2c better, with sales 140,000 bush at 64½@66c for western in store and 66½@67c afloat; 68@71c for Ohio and State. Hay unchanged. Hops quiet and unchanged. Coffee dull. Molasses firm. Rice firm at 6¾@7½c. Sugar firm: sales 1,800 hhds at 8⅞@9⅛c for Porto Rico. Petroleum quiet: crude 15½@16c; refined 27⅛c. Turpentine steady at 42@43c. Pork nominal, with sales 200 bbls at $29.25@29.50 for mess, $21.75@23.50 for prime and $25@26 for prime mess. Beef steady, with sales 300 bbls at $11@15 for plain mess and $16@18 for extra mess. Beef Hams quiet, with sales 140 bbls at $18@34. Tierce Beef firm at $25@26 for prime and $30 for India mess; sales 100 tcs old prime mess at $15.25. Middles quiet and firm. Cut Meats steady, with sales 150 pkgs at 12@12½c for shoulders and 16@17c for hams. Lard nominal, 220 tcs at 15⅛@16⅛c for steam and [illegible] or kettle rendered. Butter steady [illegible] for Ohio. Cheese steady at 8@17c. [illegible] to Liverpool nominally easier. [illegible] Flour closed dull and without decision. Wheat dull and heavy at $1.18@ [illegible] 2 spring and $1.32@1.34 for winter [illegible] amber western. Rye nominal. Oats [illegible] 66c for western in store and 69@ [illegible]. Corn dull at $1.12@1.15 for new [illegible] tern. Mess pork nominal at $29.50 [illegible] nth and $29.25 for next month. Beef [illegible] th fair demand. Cut meats steady with [illegible] demand. Bacon nominal. Lard dull; prime steam 16⅛@16¼c on spot and 16⅛c bid seller May. Eggs steady at 17½c.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 12.—Eastern Exchange unchanged. Flour firm and steady. Wheat quiet; No. 2 ranged from 96⅞ to 97¾c, and closed at 97c; this afternoon the market was firmer at 98¼c cash, and $1,00¼ seller June. Corn dull and 2½@3c lower, at 89½@90½c for No. 2, 85@86c for rejected, 82@84c for no grade, closing at outside price. Rye is more active and 1@2c lower, closing at 81@82c for No. 2. Barley stronger, closing at 60@65c. Highwines are held at $1.08. Provisions quiet. Mess pork closed at $28.50@28.75. Lard 16@16⅛c. Dry salt shoulders 11⅛@11¼c for loose. The receipts for the past 24 hours were 3,528 bbls flour, 40,250 bush wheat, 63,875 bush corn, 26,248 bush oats, 2,052 bush rye, 2,120 bush barley, 7,720 hogs. Shipments—5,000 bbls flour, 114,000 bush wheat, 61,717 bush corn, 18,842 bush oats, 350 bush rye, 5,610 bush barley, 6,566 hogs. Freights are more active at 4c for corn, and 4½c for wheat per sail to Buffalo.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 12.—Flour firm with good demand for family at $5.10a5.35. Wheat not so firm; red $1.10a1.13 for Nos 2 and 1. Corn in good demand; all offered was taken at $1.03a1.05; but little sound corn was offered suitable for shipment. Oats in good demand at 58a62c for No 2 mixed to choice white. Rye tended upwards: No 1 $1 asking $1.05 for choice. Barley nominally unchanged. Cotton firmer and higher; middlings 22⅛a22½c. Tobacco in good demand; sales of 174 hhds from $4 to $16.35, and three boxes of Ohio seed leaf at $5.65 to $19; the demand exceeds the supply. Whisky unsettled and held at $1.08a1.10; sales reported at the latter rate, but it was offered in iron bound cooperage at the close at $1.09, and that made by patent process at $1.08. Mess pork saleable at $29.50, but held at $29.75a30. Bulk meats dull; shoulders 11⅛a11¼c; sides 14⅛a14¼c; sales of 100,000 pounds of shoulders sold at 12c buyer this month. Bacon quiet; shoulders 12⅛a12¼c; sides 16⅛a17⅛c asked, ⅛c less offered; demand light. Lard dull at 16⅛c for prime kettle. Butter firm at 25a30c. Eggs advanced with light supply.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 12—Tobacco firm and unchanged. Cotton firm at 21⅛c. Hemp steady at $1.22@1.55. Flour: low grades scarce; all grades higher, fall superfine $4.25@5.50; X $4.65@5, XX $5.25@5.40. Wheat opened firmer and closed dull and weak as to No. 2 spring, 94@95c for No. 2 red fall, $1.58 for strictly choice, $1.45 for fancy, and $1.60 for white. Corn demoralized and prices unsettled: mixed sold at $1.67 for yellow, $1@1.06 for choice to fancy white, and closing dull at inside rates. Oats opened at 63⅛@65c; closed at 62⅛@63c for mixed. Barley dull and lower at 87½@95c for Minn. Rye ranged 80@88c. Whiskey advanced to $1.08; held higher. Sugar quiet at 10⅛@11⅛c. Coffee ranges quiet at 10⅛@11⅛c. Molasses steady at 45@60c for sugar house. Provisions quiet; pork $29.50@30, latter for extra. Dry salted Meats: nothing doing. Bacon: order sales 13c. Shoulders 16⅛c, for clear rib, 17⅛@11c for clear. 19@19⅛c. for sugar cured hams. Receipts—flour, 4,400 bbls; wheat, 16,000 bush; corn, 30,000 do; oats, 1,900 do; barley, 110 do; rye, 600 do; hogs, 800 heads.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, May 12.—Flour advanced 25@50c, and the market closed strong. Rye flour steady and unchanged. The market for prime wheat was 4c better; sales of No. 1 red at $1.27; No. 2 do held at $1.21@1.22, the market closing strong, with an advancing tendency. Corn firm. The market for oats opened better at 60c for No. 1 State, but at the close were freely offered at those figures without buyers. Rye quiet and firm; held at 95c@$1. Barley dull and nominal. Petroleum quiet but steady; refined in large lots held at 25c for May, and 25½c for June; crude a shade lower—held at $5.60 per bbl.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 12.—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat firm, with sales of Pennsylvania at $1.40@1.45. Corn quiet and unchanged. Oats quiet at 63@65c. Mess pork firm at $29.75@30. Bacon firmer: rib sides 16⅛c, clear sides 17@17⅛c, shoulders 13⅛c, and hams 20@21c. Lard quiet at 17@17⅛c. Whisky in good demand; iron-bound $1.10, wood $1.09, and patent $1.09.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, May 12.—Flour quiet. Wheat 2a4c lower; No 2 white Wabash $1.50, regular white Michigan $1.27, amber Michigan $1.21, closing with small sales at $1,18, No 1 red $1.23. Corn 1c lower, No 2 95c. Oats unchanged, No 1 60c. Freights nominal. Receipts: flour 600 bbls, wheat 8,500 bush, corn 3,200 bush. Shipments: flour 1,100 bbls, wheat 1,800 bush, corn 5,600 bush, oats 2,100 bush.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 12.—Cotton firm: middling 22c. Flour $5. Corn active and scarce; choice $1.20. Oats 70c. Rye $1. Wheat $1.06@1.20. Pork $29.50; bacon 13⅛, 16⅛ and 17⅛c; bulk meats 12⅛, 15⅛, and 18⅛c. Lard 16⅛. Whiskey $1.09@1.10. Tobacco steady: sales 264 hhds at $5⅛@8 trash to lugs, low to good leaf brings $8¾@23c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, May 12.—Cotton dull at 22⅛c; receipts of 502 bales; exports 774 bales. Flour: super $4.50@5.00. Corn dull at $1.18@1.25. Oats scarce at 72½c in store. Hay active at $25@26. Bran active at $27@27.50. Lard dull at 17⅛@18⅛c. Pork quiet at $30@31. Bacon shoulders 13⅛c; sides 18⅛c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, May 12.—Flour unchanged, wheat dull at $1.00, No. 1 96⅛c; No. 2 oats dull at 52c. No. 2 corn quiet at 88c for rejected. Rye advancing at 82c No. 1. Freights firmer with rates unchanged. Receipts 4000 bbls flour, 68,000 bushels wheat; shipments 7,000 bbls flour, 121,000 bushels wheat.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Flour in good demand; extra at $5.00@5.50. Wheat unchanged; offerings light. Rye unchanged. Corn less active but unchanged. Provisions dull. Mess pork $29.50. Lard 16⅛@16½c. Whiskey: sales of iron bound at $1.10, now held at $1.15.

Detroit.

DETROIT, May 12.—Wheat is scarce and very firm, with sales No. 1 at $1.39@1.40. Corn held at 96@98c. Oats 59@60c. Barley, $1.55.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, May 11.—130 hf bbls fish, J Connor; 10 bbls oil, J Henderson & Bro; 52 bbls whisky, W Carr; 1 lot potatoes, Bricker & Co; 1 car oats, Lang & McKallip; 25 tcs hams, 53 hhds do, J H Parker; 3 cars staves, W Hastings; 296 bgs malt, T Collins; 52 bgs oats, S Hood; 2 bbls eggs, 1 bx butter, Robb & Herron; 14 bags rags, R Christy; 30 bags oats, Campbell & Aiken; 9 bgs oats, 3 do flaxseed, W H Graff; 162 bgs oats, 6 bxs meat, 1 bbl do, J J Pettit; 50 tcs grease, J Dalzell & Sons; 100 bbls flour, Culp & Shepard; 100 do do, Schomaker & Langenheim; 100 do do, T C Jenkins & Bro; 1 car s iron, Jones & Laughlin; 1 car h h goods, C P Walker; 1 car staves, J Painter; 2 cars wheat, J S Liggett & Co; 3,500 fire brick, Lloyd & Black; 3,500 do do, Anderson & Woods; 10 bxs tobacco, McMullin & Co; 16 caddies do, J M Sichel; 4 cars lard, J W Lea; 5 do wine, M Johnson; 15 do do, W Miller & Co; 2 hhds tobacco, C F Herd; 3 do do, Weyman & Bro; 9 bgs feathers, F G Craighead; 1 car staves, M P Adams & Bro; 99 tcs hams, F Sellers & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, May 12.—10 cars c ore, Brady's Bend Iron Co; 3 cars, 23,000 feet lumber, W W Rigdon; 8,000 do do, Slack & Sholes; 2 cars pig iron, Moorhead & Co; 120 sks potatoes, 10 bbls do, Voigt, M & Co; 10 bbls beer, J Kessler; 3 bbls oil, R E Sellers, 100 bbls lime, E H Myers; 49 iron bound bbls, Geo B Neal; 74 sks glue scraps, Presser & Co; 20 hides G Anderson; 29 bbls rosin, B L Fahnestock & Co; lot furniture, J Woodwell, 10 bbls apples, Randolph & S; 58 sks corn, J & W Fairley; 2 bbls eggs, P Duff & Son; 64 hf do fish, Watt, L & Co; 55 do do, A Kirkpatrick & Co; 3 bbls eggs, Day & Co; 19 do apples, Bruggerman & O; 4 sks potatoes, Randolph & S; 1 tubs butter, H Rea Jr; 3 bbls d apples, Voigt, M & Co; 30 bxs crackers, W H Heimer & Co; lot tobacco, F Maul.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, May 12.—25 bbls spirits, W Carr & Co; 100 bbls flour, Culp & S; 600 do do, 20 doz rakes, J England; 60 do do, Fahnestock & B; 94 e bbls A Guckenheimer; 210 bbls flour, Schomaker & L; 24 bdls p bgs, R Christy; lot s iron, 50 bdls shovels, Myers & A; 4 bbls bacon, E H Myers & Co; 2 do do, Atwell & Lee, 11 bgs rags, C P Markle & Son; 2 bbls eggs, 15 bxs cheese, 1 bdl mop sticks, Woodworth & D; 1 bbls eggs, 2 bxs bacon, 12 hf bbls herring, W D Cooper; 54 sks potatoes, Meanor & H; 25 bbls flour, B L Fahnestock; 1 portable organ, Hoffman & H; 12 sks rags, Frazier & M; 10 hf bbls herrings, W J France; 15 do do, Smith & H; 130 do do, J S Dilworth & Co; 3 cars metal, Nimick & Co; 1 do do, Bryan & C.

ALLEGHENY STATION, May 12.—28 bbls flour, E M Jenkins; 1 car staves, Strott Bro; 1 car hoop poles, R T Kennedy Bro; 2 do lumber, Smith, Cresswell & Co; 2 do do, Lindsay & McCutcheon; 2 bbls eggs, 3 bxs butter, H Lenz; 3 bbls eggs, G Myers; 13 hides, 1 pkg tallow, M Seabold; 7 bbls flour, T C Jenkins; 3 cars staves, J M Hemphill; 1 do do, Ralya & R; 5 cars metal, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 2 do do, Graff, Bennett & Co; 11 hides, 3 bbls tallow, J Hiteshue; 2 cars metal, Pgh Iron & Forge Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, May 12.—1 car lumber, Montzheimer, K & Co; 6 bbls eggs, 4 bxs butter, J Klingensmith; 8 sks potatoes, Whiteside, Anderson & Co; 1 car stone, Henderson, Mackin & Co; 2 do do, P Brough; 17 green hides, J Callery; 1 car metal, McKnight & Co; 1 bx eggs, 1 sk rags, 1 pkg chickens, L J Blanchard, 3 pkgs butter and eggs, Paul & Gibson; 15 lambs, G W Given; 2 bbls eggs, 2 bxs butter, W Seibert; 1 car barley, J M Carson & Co.

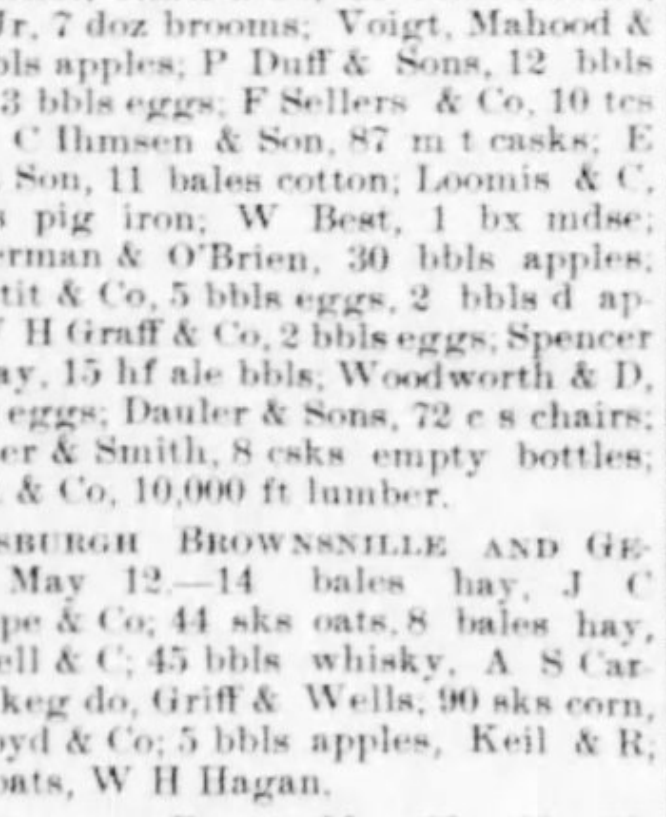
IMPORTS BY RIVER.

CINCINNATI PER JUNIATA, May 12.—W Frank & Son, 12 m t csks; R E Sellers & Co, 2 bbls alcohol, 11 bxs drugs; H A Hays & Co, 2 bdls mouldings; Hall & Spear, 120 bdls plow hdls; G A Kelly 2 bbls alcohol; Clark & Co; 10 bbls cement; H Rea Jr, 7 doz brooms; Voigt, Mahood & Co, 8 bbls apples; P Duff & Sons, 12 bbls apples, 3 bbls eggs; F Sellers & Co, 10 tcs d beef; C Ihmsen & Son, 87 m t casks; E Hyde & Son, 11 bales cotton; Loomis & C, 20 tons pig iron; W Best, 1 bx mdse; Bruggerman & O'Brien, 30 bbls apples; J J Pettit & Co, 5 bbls eggs, 2 bbls d apples; W H Graff & Co, 2 bbls eggs; Spencer & McKay, 15 hf ale bbls; Woodworth & D, 11 bbls eggs; Dauler & Sons, 72 c s chairs; Hostetter & Smith, 8 csks empty bottles; H, L, A & Co, 10,000 ft lumber.

PITTSBURGH BROWNSVILLE AND GENEVA, May 12.—14 bales hay, J C Schauppe & Co; 44 sks oats, 8 bales hay, Campbell & C; 45 bbls whisky, A S Carlisle; 1 keg do, Griff & Wells; 90 sks corn, S B Floyd & Co; 5 bbls apples, Keil & R; 60 sks oats, W H Hagan.

GENEVA PER BELLE, May 12.—13 galls apple butter, Campbell & C; 20 bgs oats, S B Floyd & Co; 94 do do, 42 bgs wheat, McBane & A; lot stoneware, R Peet; 12 bales hay, S R Patterson; 2 bxs butter, M W Rankin; 58 bgs oats, W Welsh & Co.

PORTSMOUTH PER GRANITE STATE, May 12.—51 tons metal, Loomis & C; 250 bbls h wines, Clark & Co; 277 nail kgs, 200 bdls staves, 85 do headings, Phillips & M; 4,000 feet lumber, A Harpole.



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RIVER NEWS.

The river was about stationary last evening with 7 feet 11 inches in the channel by Monongahela marks.

The Juniata arrived from Cincinnati on Wednesday night, and returned as usual, yesterday.

The new steamer Granite State arrived from Portsmouth on Wednesday night with a good trip and will return again to-day at 4 o'clock. Commodore Keir is delighted with his new packet, as well he may be. She runs well, handles easily, is of very light draft, and admirably adapted for a summer packet.

The Argosy from St. Louis has arrived.

The Belle arrived from Geneva, with a good freight list and quite a number of passengers. Capt. Smith is the right man in the right place, as he makes friends wherever he goes.

The Glendale, Capt. Hare, is filling up steadily for St. Louis, and will probably be the first boat out for that port.

The Kate Putnam, Capt. Evans, is announced to depart for Nashville to-morrow. Messrs Harbison and Ghriest are associated together in the office.

The Wild Duck, Capt. Anawalt, is filling up steadily for St. Louis. Capt. Anawalt is very popular among shippers.

G. H. Ghriest & Co., are agents for the Wild Duck.

The Belle will leave again for Brownsville and Geneva to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock.

The Collier did not leave on Wednesday night, as stated, but she did get off yesterday. Pilots, Marsh Hays and Thos. Morris.

Considerable rain is reported as having fallen at the headwaters of the Allegheny yesterday, and it is fair to infer that there will be a rise in this stream.

The Lorena left St. Louis for Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

—The St. Louis papers, like those of Chicago, are disposed to flow their own horn pretty freely. The following is from the *Democrat* of Tuesday: The Cairo port list of Sunday embraces nineteen steamers. Fifteen of these are engaged in the St. Louis trade. That is, there were fifteen steamers bound to or from St. Louis, to four bound to or from all other points. We have frequently noted in past years a similar striking disparity in favor of St. Louis, but the contest has become much greater than it was in 1852. It is likely that the river commerce of St. Louis exceeds that of Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Louisville, Wheeling, Evansville, and all other towns of the Ohio river combined. Seven of the fifteen steamers are owned entirely here, and one partly. If any one attempts to break the force of the above statement, by mentioning the "interior" trade done upon the Ohio—the local trade between Pittsburgh and Portsmouth, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati, &c., let him bear in mind the magnificent daily lines of packets we have that do not appear in the Cairo list—that run from St. Louis to St. Paul, Keokuk, Omaha, Miami, Kansas City and Peoria.

—The wharf ordinances at St. Paul now stand as follows: Boats pay 4½ cents a ton, provided that in no case shall they be charged over $20 a trip. Boats to be allowed to lay at the wharf three days, but not so as to interfere with the unloading or loading of other boats; also that no steamer be charged over $2.50 for each trip, except that barges used as lighters shall not be compelled to pay wharfage, but when they are used to convey freight in connection with steamers they shall be charged the same rate per ton as steamers. The salary of the wharf master was changed from three per cent to five per cent on collections, as the change of the wharfage would otherwise reduce his salary.

—A St. Louis dispatch, under date of Tuesday, says: Capt. Chapman, of the steamer David Watts, reports seeing two "floaters" on the way up from Cairo; also, that six dead bodies passed Shenneman's Landing within a few days. These are supposed to be the boddies of the victims of the Stonewall disaster. The shore bar at that place where the Stonewall burned is washing away, and the channel is changing considerably, which doubtless has disengaged the uncovered bodies from the sand and allowed them to rise to the surface and float away.

—The tow boat Antelope arrived at St. Louis on Tuesday, from Dubuque with 115,000 bushels grain. She made the trip in 47 hours, which is fast time for passenger steamers. The grain would fill 380 cars cars and make 15 long trains. The question of the relative cheapness of the river route for the transportation of grain as compared with the railroad is strongly brought out by such shipments as this.

—A family in Florida lost their little boy, and they advertised for him in the daily paper. That very afternoon an alligator crawled up out of the swamp and died on the front door-step. In his stomach were found a handful of red hair, some bone buttons, a glass alley, a brass barreled pistol, a Sunday school book and a pair of check pants. The advertisement did it.

—The Dubuque *Times* of Sunday says: The Antelope probably got off last night; if not she goes this morning. She had the biggest load yet. It was, in fact, of mammoth proportions, containing 20,000 bushels of wheat and over 100,000 bushels oats; total, over 120,000 bushels. She goes to St. Louis, where her cargo will probably be reshipped to New Orleans.

—Says the Cincinnati *Gazette*: Some time ago we made mention of the smallest sidewheel steamer ever built. It came down the Allegheny river to Pittsburgh. Since that time we have heard nothing of her till yesterday, when we learned that she was at Ironton for sale. Her owners only ask $1,100 for her.

—Freights have been reduced by the Northern Line from Dubuque to New Orleans, on flour, from 75c. to 65c. per brl., and on pork, from $1.20 to $1.00 per bbl. No reduction on grain.

—The Norman, from Evansville, has for Pittsburgh, 341, sks wheat for Kennedy Bro; 159 do do, for J. S. Liggett & Co., and 50 bbls dried fruit for Henry Rea Jr.

—The Andrew Ackley, from Yankton, arrived at Sioux City on the 15th, with a fair cargo and a few passengers. She will load right away for a fresh trip.

—On Monday Capt. O. P. Shinkle sold his one-eighth interest in the Kate Robinson to Captain John A. Williamson. Consideration, $1,000.

—The Bellevernon was advertised to leave Cincinnati for this port on Wednesday.

—The Messenger, Pittsburgh to St. Louis, was at Louisville on Tuesday.

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Sharpb'g No. 1	1 20 p m	Express	2 20 p m
Freeport No. 2	4 05 p m	Springd'e No. 1	3 10 p m
Mail	5 50 p m	Freeport No. 2	3 20 p m
Springd'e No. 2	6 20 p m	Springd'e No. 1	6 30 p m

Above trains run daily except Sunday.

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The trains leaving Allegheny City at 7 00 A. M. make direct connection at Freeport with Walker's line of Stages for Butler and Hannahstown. Through tickets may be purchased at the Office, No. 1 St. Clair street, near the Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, and at the Depot, Allegheny.

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A. J. CASSATT,
no15 General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. W. and CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R. R. From MAY 1st, 1870, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, north side, Pittsburgh city time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	12 28 a m	Fast Line	2 30 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	7 28 a m	Pacific Ex	12 08 p m
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6 38 a m	Wheeling Ex	10 48 a m
Chicago Mail	6 58 a m	C. & St. L. Ex	7 18 p m
Chicao Ex	9 58 a m	Chicago Mail	3 28 p m
Cl. & Wh'g Ex	2 08 p m	Cleveland Ex	3 38 p m
Pacific Ex	2 28 p m	Erie & Eg'n Ex	6 03 p m
W'e & Erie Ex	4 03 p m	Cl. & Wh'g Ex	7 08 p m
DEPART FROM ALLEG'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Bea'r Falls Ac	8 38 a m	Leetsdale Ac	6 53 a m
Leetsdale "	10 18 a m	Bea'r Falls "	8 08 a m
" "	11 53 a m	New Castle "	10 23 a m
Rochester "	2 48 p m	Enon "	8 58 a m
Enon "	4 28 p m	Leetsdale "	12 43 p m
Leetsdale "	5 13 p m	Bea'r Falls "	2 13 p m
Bea'r Falls "	6 23 p m	Leetsdale "	4 33 p m
Leetsdale "	10 43 p m	" "	7 33 p m
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	1 13 p m	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9 58 a m

☞ Pacific Express will leave daily.
☞ Pacific Express arrives daily.
☞ Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted.
☞ Fast Line arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
☞ All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

F. R. MYERS, Genl. Pas. & Ticket Agent.
J. N. McCULLOUGH, Genl. Manager.

CHANGE OF TIME.—ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—The only DIRECT ROUTE TO THE OIL REGIONS WITHOUT CHANGE OF CARS.

On and after MONDAY, Nov. 22, 1869, TWO THROUGH TRAINS DAILY, (except Sunday) will leave Pittsburgh Depot, corner of Eleventh and Pike streets, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

LEAVE PITTSBURGH.		ARRIVE IN PITTSBURGH.	
Day Ex	7 15 A. M.	Day Ex	5 30 P. M.
Night Ex	8 00 P. M.	Night Ex	7 00 A. M.
1st Hulton	6 40 A. M.	1st Hulton	6 25 A. M.
2d Hulton	11 50 A. M.	2d Hulton	9 00 A. M.
3d Hulton	5 00 P. M.	3d Hulton	2 10 P. M.
4th Hulton	11 00 P. M.	4th Hulton	7 15 P. M.
Freeport Ac.	9 30 A. M.	Soda Works	7 55 A. M.
Soda Works	6 30 P. M.	Freeport Ac.	6 15 P. M.
Brady's B Ac	3 15 P. M.	Brady's B Ac	10 05 A. M.
Church	1 00 P. M.	Church	10 20 A. M.

Express trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation trains stop at all stations.

We are now running "Silver Palace Sleeping Cars" on our night Express trains, both ways from Pittsburgh to Corry.

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen'l Supt.
THOMAS M. KING, Ass't. Supt.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.
PAN HANDLE ROUTE.
CHANGE OF TIME.—On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 14th, 1869, trains will leave and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:
Pittsburgh Time.

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail	2 08 a. m.	12 13 p. m.
Southern Express	2 28 p. m.	5 00 a. m.
Fast Line	9 48 a. m.	7 18 p. m.
Mixed Accommodation	5 43 a. m.	6 52 p. m.
McDonald Acc'n. No 1	11 28 a. m.	7 33 a. m.
Steubenville Accommod.	3 43 p. m.	9 48 a. m.
McDonald Acc'n. No. 2	5 53 p. m.	3 28 p. m.
Sunday Church Train	12 58 p. m.	9 58 a. m.

2 28 p. m. Express will leave daily.
12 12 p. m. Mail will arrive daily.

S. F. SCULL,
General Ticket Agent, Columbus, O.
W. W. CARD, Sup't., Dennison, Ohio. no15

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD. On and after SUNDAY, February 20th, 1870. Trains will arrive and depart from the Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows:

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail to and from Unt'n	7 00 a. m.	6 00 p. m.
McKeesport Accommod	11 00 a. m.	2 05 p. m.
Ex. to and from Unt'n	3 15 p. m.	10 00 a. m.
West Newton Accommo.	4 30 p. m.	8 35 a. m.
Braddock's Accommoda.	6 15 p. m.	7 50 p. m.
Night Acc. to McKeesp't.	10 30 p. m.	6 45 a. m.
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton.	1 00 p. m.	10 00 a. m.

RICHARD B. SOWERS, Agent.

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THE DAILY GAZETTE.

HOME NEWS.

The County Executive Committee meets tomorrow afternoon.

Madam Demorest's beautifully illustrated Monthly Mirror of Fashions for June for sale at W. B. Gildenfenney's, No. 45 Fift avenue.

Weston—not the pedestrian—but John Weston the vagrant, was sent to the workhouse for ninety days by Mayor Callow yesterday.

It is expected that the new building for the Ellsworth Fire Company of Allegheny will be ready for occupancy about the first of next month.

Killed—The intelligence comes by telegraph that Mr. Andrew J. Stratton, of New Brighton, Pa., was killed in the collision which occurred yesterday on the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Yesterday Alderman Arent issued a warrant for the arrest of Valentine Guenther for threatening to cut the ears off a little son of Mrs. Eichelberger. The parties reside in the Seventh ward, Allegheny.

Promising Youths.—A. Keller made information before Justice Heisel yesterday, charging his sons, William and Gordon, with being habitual drunkards, and he alleges that they beat and abuse him. Warrants issued.

Runaway.—Yesterday afternoon a horse attached to Louis Treser's butcher wagon ran away on Pine street, Seventh ward. After colliding with a pair of steps, leading into a house, and demolishing wagon and steps, the runaway was secured.

Larceny by Bailee.—Jacob Rubler made information before Justice Heisel yesterday, charging Fred. Behr with larceny by bailee. He alleges that the accused borrowed some article of clothing from him of the value of two dollars, which he neglected to return. Warrant issued.

False Pretence.—John Schleigle made information before Justice Heisel yesterday, charging Charles Burkheimer with obtaining goods under false pretences. He alleges that the accused obtained a canary bird valued at $9 and $7.50 in cash by means of certain false representations. A warrant was issued.

Explosion.—Wednesday evening an explosion of gas occurred in Pat Brown's saloon, corner Chatham street and Fifth avenue. The plastering on the bar-room ceiling and on the walls was torn off and the floor in the second story raised several inches, but nobody was hurt. A leak in the gas pipe was the cause.

Domestic Grievances.—Sarah Smithson made information before Alderman Thomas Tuesday night against Edward Smithson, her husband, charging him with desertion. The accused was arrested, spent the night in jail and yesterday was repentant. The case was then compromised, the wife withdrawing the charge.

Cross Suits.—Uriah Hanlon and James McCann had cross suits before Alderman Herron yesterday for assault and battery. Hanlon alleged McCann struck Mrs. Hanlon in the face. McCann charged Hanlon with treating him in a similar manner. The parties reside in the Twelfth ward. After a hearing the dispute was compromised.

Besieged.—George Johnson is a resident of the Twelfth Ward, who lives in terror every day from the threats made against him by Jacob and Ann Seymour and Henry Marsule, who have no regard for him. George was constrained yesterday to seek the advice of Alderman Taylor, who arrested the two and held them for disposition to-day.

Money Lost.—Four hundred and sixty-five dollars was taken from the residence of Chas. Quinn, near Soho, a few days ago. Charles investigated the matter, and at last appeared before Alderman Taylor and made information charging his brother-in-law, Edward Fanni, with the larceny of the money. The accused was arrested yesterday and held for a hearing.

Suspected.—Yesterday John Krepps made information before Alderman Taylor setting forth that his wagon shop in the Twelfth ward had been robbed of a pair of shafts, valued at eleven dollars, and that from information received he thought Joseph Hani might be able to explain their mysterious departure. Joseph was brought before the Alderman, and will have an opportunity to explain to-day.

Personal.—Yesterday we had the pleasure of a friendly visit from Mr. Coggswell, one of the publishers of the Titusville *Herald*, who came to the city to perfect arrangements looking toward the still greater improvement and usefulness of his spirited and well conducted journal. The *Herald* is one of our most valued exchanges, and we are glad to know that its proprietors intend making it still more worthy of the large patronage which it enjoys.

Abandonment.—Catharine Dolmine has been abandoned by her husband John Dolmine, as we learn by an information at Justice Heisel's office. The aforesaid paper states further that John is an habitual drunkard, that he beats and abuses the aforesaid Catharine, and has at various times threatened to take her life, and furthermore has neglected and refused to contribute to the support of his wife and children. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Admitted.—Mr. Charles C. Montooth, the gentlemanly, courteous and efficient Clerk of the District Court, was yesterday admitted to practice law in the several courts of this county. Mr. Montooth, we are informed, passed a highly creditable examination, and if he is as diligent as an attorney as he was a student, his success is only a question of time, and he will be an ornament to the profession. We congratulate you "Charley."

Confidence Game.—Henry Casper, according to the allegations made by Barbara Hinerman before Justice Heisel yesterday, has been trying his hand at the confidence business. She alleges that she was the possessor of $160 in cash, which fact came to the knowledge of Casper, who very kindly proposed to invest it for her. The money was given to him, as she alleges, and he, instead of investing it for her benefit loaned it taking a note in his own name. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Bawdy House.—Franz Burghard alleges that he has been victimized, and has called upon Justice Heisel for "aid and comfort," all of which was extended to him of course. It appears that Franz is the owner of a tenement house in the borough of East Birmingham, which some time since he rented to Mary Morris, who represented to him that she was a poor widow woman who made her living by sewing. He has since discovered, so he alleges, that his house has been turned into an infamous den of prostitutes. Mary was arrested and held for a hearing.

We announced yesterday that William McCafferty and John Robbins, both of Pittsburgh, had been arrested in Cincinnati on Wednesday and were retained on a "put up" charge to await the requisition of our authorities. The robbery charge was wholly unfounded, but the game to hold them on it was blocked by the shrewd prisoners who obtained their liberty through a writ of *habeas corpus* in the courts, and fled before the arrival of the Pittsburgh officers who went down to bring them back to this city. They narrowly escaped, and, if they propose keeping clear of this city, we think the authorities will do well to permit them to enjoy the largest liberty and trouble themselves no further to bring them back.

Fire at East Liberty.

Yesterday morning about two o'clock the carpenter shop of Mr. Alexander Liedzig, corner of Broad and Mill streets, East Liberty, was destroyed by fire. Loss about $1,000; no insurance. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. The shop was a wooden structure, and burned so rapidly that nothing was saved. It was under full headway when discovered, which strengthens the suspicion of incendiarism. About $500 of the loss was in work which had just been finished. Mr. Liedzig had commenced business but a short time. The citizens talk of offering a reward for the apprehension of the villains who are engaged in this sort of firing.

That Wife Whipping.

Yesterday Joseph Christ, the wife whipper, had a hearing before Mayor Callow on a charge of felonious assault and battery preferred against him by a lady who occupied a portion of the house. The lady testified that she heard Christ whipping his wife Wednesday night, and went around to the door when the man threw Mrs. Christ out in the yard and that she was found by the neighbors, who were aroused, in a perfectly nude condition. She was picked up and taken into the house,—some of the people remaining with her the remainder of the night after Christ had been arrested. He was often known to whip her severely but rather exceeded the mark Wednesday night. When arrested, after the hearing, he was sent to jail in default of two thousand dollars bail, for trial. Mrs. Christ is still unable to sit up and is not yet out of danger. She was terribly abused and was remarkably fortunate even to escape with her life.

Sixth Company Duquesne Grays.

We are pleased to note that Captain Louis Hager, of the Sixty-first Pennsylvania Regiment, has recruited enough of our German fellow-citizens to enter the Duquesne Grays as the sixth company of the regiment now forming.

Captain Hager was a noble soldier in the late war, and just the man to raise a regiment of Germans, instead of a company. He still wants a few more good men. The roll of this company can be seen at Alderman Neubert's, 85 Fifth avenue. We are informed there are four other companies started and filling up rapidly, which completes the Duquesne Grays Regiment. All our young men who wish to belong to this "pet" regiment should join in the ranks at once, as a few days will find it full.

BRUTAL.

A Woman Almost Killed—Attacked by Two Brutes—One of Them in Custody.

A most brutal case of inhumanity was developed at the Mayor's office yesterday. Information for felonious assault and battery was preferred against a certain Hugh Madison, a young man who is not unknown to police fame. It was stated that the evening previous Madison and a female named Wilson, his mistress, residing on the hill, and to whom he was devoted, had a quarrel, when the brute in human form beat her in a terrible manner. Not satisfied with his own powers of punishment, he called into his aid another brute—a large bull dog, which, at its master's bidding, tore the flesh from the woman in many places, and doubtless would have killed her had her screams not attracted assistance. Madison immediately disappeared. The officers were on the lookout for him yesterday, but he kept "shady." Last night, shortly after twelve o'clock, officers Omeara and Mooney got on his track and succeeded in arresting him just as he entered the Rush House bar-room. He showed signs of resistance, but was easily overpowered and was taken to the lock-up.

The woman is very badly injured and suffers very much from her wounds. It is possible she will not be able to appear against him this morning, in fact she will be exceedingly fortunate to recover at all. Madison is well known as a bully of the first water, as his conduct proves. Doubtless he will get his deserts this time.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Regular Meeting—Petitions and Communications—Report of the Controller—Reports of Committees—Ordinances, &c.

A regular semi-monthly meeting of the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny was held yesterday, Thursday, May 12, 1870, at 8 o'clock P. M.

SELECT COUNCIL.

Members present—Messrs. Callery, Gwinner, Hackenstine, Long, Megraw, Moul, Patterson, J. C. Patterson, A., Peterson, Phillips, Reineman, Reiter, Riddle, Wettach, and President McBrier.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Long, an invitation from the Monumental Association to Councils to participate in the corner-stone laying of the Soldiers' Monument in a body. Accepted, and Council resolved to participate in a body.

Mr. Moul, a communication from the Salt Inspector, asking for instructions relative to the inspection of salt. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Riddle, a petition asking for a lateral sewer on Federal street from the Diamond to Montgomery avenue. Referred to the Committee on Streets and Sewers.

Mr. J. C. Patterson, a petition asking permission to erect telegraph poles to connect the Observatory with the telegraph line on the Fort Wayne Railroad. Referred to the Street Committee.

WATER COMMITTEE.

Mr. Wettach, chairman of the Water Committee, submitted the following report:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Water would respectfully report as follows:

In relation to laying water pipe on Montgomery avenue, from Federal to Beaver street, your Committee would report that the work has been done.

In relation to the ordinance for the assessment for water for building purposes, the same having been referred back for further amendment, your Committee would report that they amended the same by reducing the rate per perch on stone to four cents instead of five cents. It is now reported with favorable recommendation.

Report accepted, and the ordinance referred to was read three times and passed finally under a suspension of the rules. C. C. non-concurred.

FINANCES.

Mr. Long, from the Finance Committee, presented the report of said committee, as follows:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Finance would report relative to the petition of Fagan & Howley, asking for the payment of balance due on their contract for constructing the canal sewer, that the facts set forth by petitioners are such as would seem to justify Councils to grant the prayer of the petition. We would therefore recommend the payment of the claim as soon as the city is prepared with funds.

A paper reached your Committee through some source, purporting to be a resolution from the Board of Trustees of the Western Theological Seminary, instructing their Treasurer to "collect interest" on the Seminary lots heretofore receipted for under protest, and that may heretofore become due from the city of Allegheny in accordance with the terms of the lease which provides that the interest shall be paid in coin or its equivalent.

A bill accompanied the communication claiming $381.10 as the premium on the payment made to them for July 1st, 1869, and $[illegible] on the payment made for January 1st, 1870. After some examination your Committee would beg leave to report that we do not recognize their claim to payment in coin. The report was accepted.

CONTROLLER'S REPORT.

Mr. Riddle, from the Finance Committee, presented the Controller's report of expenditures for the month of April, of which the following is a

RECAPITULATION.

No. 3.	Engines and Firemen	$ 584 21
" 4.	Printing	232 30
" 5.	Streets and Bridges	2,169 65
" 8.	Wharves and Landings	55 50
" 9.	Contingent Fund	2,584 52
" 11.	Water Works	6,008 34
" 13.	Gas	244 92
" 15.	City Property	116 69
	Total	$10,479 43
	Paid City Officers	939 98
	Paid Police	2,857 43
	Paid Fire Department	2,039 89
	Total	$16,316 73

The report was received and warrants authorized for the payment of the several bills.

STREETS AND SEWERS.

Mr. J. C. Patterson, chairman of the committee on streets and sewers, submitted the following report:

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee on streets would offer the following report:

In the matter of a change of grade on that portion of Jefferson street between Beaver street and Sheilds alley, your committee had the petition for a change and also a remonstrance to same before them. The majority of the committee visited the ground and from a knowledge of all the facts in the case we report adversely to making any change in the grade.

Your committee submit the following ordinances:

Fixing name for Alley in Second ward, grading and paving McCurdy alley from Fulton street to Beaver avenue; also Cedar avenue between Franklin and Washington streets; also Slope alley from Shields alley to Montgomery street; also for construction of sewer on Darragh street; also for the opening of Locust street from Beaver avenue to Fulton street.

The committee further recommend in pursuance of prayer and petitions, a change of grade for McCurdy alley, a profile of which accompanies this report.

The report was received and the ordinances referred to were passed under a suspension of the rules except, that relative to a sewer on Darragh street, which was laid over.

An ordinance for grading Page street was passed finally.

An ordinance for the construction of a sewer on a portion of Ann street was passed finally.

The profiles of grades of several streets were presented and approved.

Mr. J. C. Patterson called up the ordinance for the construction of a sewer on Sherman avenue, and it was passed finally.

SURVEYS.

Mr. Reiter, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, submitted the report of the Committee as follows:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Surveys report as follows:

In relation to the remonstrance against changing the grade of Taggart street, your Committee would simply report with the view of settling the minds of remonstrants at rest, that a change of grade has not been petitioned for, and certainly none contemplated by the city authorities.

In relation to the opening of Robinson street from Hope street to River Avenue, your Committee visited the locality, and are satisfied that said opening will not only add to the appearance, but will prove a great public convenience to the residents and owners of property, and can be done very cheap. They therefore, report an ordinance authorizing said opening according to law.

In the matter of opening O'Hern street your committee visited the locality, and believe that it is practicable to open the same, and it should be opened in order to furnish an outlet to property that is at present almost hemmed in, and this in face of the fact that there is a recorded street at or near the recorded line of O'Hern street. An ordinance authorizing the opening of said street and appointing viewers accompanied this report.

The report was accepted.

The ordinance for the opening of O'Hern street was taken up.

Mr. Long moved that the matter be postponed until next meeting. Adopted.

Mr. J. C. Patterson presented a resolution instructing the chairman of the several Committees to give at least one day's notice of the meetings. Adopted.

Mr. Reiter, a resolution for a gas lamp on Allegheny avenue and Ridge street. Adopted.

Mr. J. C. Patterson, a resolution instructing the City Engineer to furnish descriptions of all property in the city against which liens had to be filed. Adopted.

Mr. Megraw moved to reconsider the vote of Select Council on the matter of the attachment of striking apparatus to the bell on North Avenue church for the fire alarm telegraph, adopted in C. C. at a previous meeting. C. C. non-concurring.

The motion to reconsider was adopted.

Mr. Megraw moved to concur with Common Council.

Mr. Callery moved to amend by authorizing the attachment to be made to two additional bells, one in the east and the other in the west end of the city. Lost.

The question recurring on the motion to concur, was decided in the negative.

Council then took up the business acted upon in Common Council at last meeting, which was not reached in Select Council, and concurred in the action of Common Council in the same.

The report of the Market Committee, in which there was a resolution increasing the salary of the Market Constable from $[illegible] to $600, which was laid over at last meeting was taken up.

Mr. Riddle moved to concur with C. C. in adopting the resolution.

After considerable discussion, the motion was decided in the negative.

The ordinance creating the office of "Fall Master," passed at a previous meeting in Common Council, was then taken up and the action of that Council concurred in.

The report of the Wharf Committee, accompanying which was a contract between the city and Mr. Shallenberger, leasing to him two hundred feet of the wharf above the Hand Street Bridge for a term of three years, which was approved in Common Council at a previous meeting, was taken up.

Mr. Megraw moved to amend by extending the time of the lease to five years. Adopted. Common Council concurred in.

Mr. Megraw moved a reconsideration of the action of Select Council on the ordinance granting the right of way over certain streets to the Pleasant Valley Passenger Railway. Adopted.

Mr. Megraw then moved the adoption of the ordinance as reported by the committee.

Mr. J. C. Patterson moved to amend by reserving the right to grant to any other road the right to traverse the track of said company over Anderson street and the payment of an equitable proportion of the cost of construction of said road.

After some discussion the amendment was adopted.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the ordinance as amended, and it was passed finally under a suspension of the rules. C. C. concurred.

An ordinance relative to the cleaning of sidewalks, which passed one reading at a previous meeting, was taken up and passed finally.

Council adjourned.

Common Council.

This branch was called to order at eight o'clock, President Warner in the chair.

Present: Messrs. Ashworth, Brahn, Comley, Dalzell, Gilliland, Hanna, Hunker, Hastings, McNeill, Rowbottom, Slack, Seidle, Taggart, Thompson, Voegtly, and President Warner.

Clerk Dilworth read the minutes of the preceding meeting, which were adopted.

REGULAR BUSINESS.

Mr. Thompson presented a resolution instructing the Committee on Streets to report viewers upon opening of Fulton street between River avenue and Ridge street, Fifth ward. Adopted.

Mr. Seidle, a petition for grading and paving of that portion of Ohio street which lies within the Eighth ward. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Rowbottom, petition for water pipes on Wayne and Brady streets, Sixth ward. Referred to Water Committee.

Mr. Slack, petitions for sewers on Jackson street, Snyders Hollow Road, and on Taggart street. Referred to Committee on Street.

Mr. Taggart, petition for gas lamp on Irwin avenue between Jackson and Ackley streets. Referred to Committee on Gas.

Also petition for extension of discretionary powers of Street Commissioners in regard to sinks, privy vaults etc. Referred to Committee on Ordinances.

Mr. McNeill, a remonstrance against the proposed route of the lateral sewer on Liberty street. Referred to Street Committee.

"DECORATION DAY."

Mr. Hastings presented an invitation from General Pearson, in behalf of the Ladies' Monumental Association, asking Councils to participate in the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone of the Soldiers' Monument on "Decoration Day." The invitation was accepted.

Mr. Hastings stated that carriages would be provided at the time for the use of Councils, who would meet at their City Hall.

Mr. Hanna, a remonstrance against the building of a sewer on Darrah street, as it was not desired by the property holders. Referred to Street Committee.

THE PARK GROUNDS.

Mr. Slack presented a communication from James Park Jr., President of the Park Commission, accompanying an ordinance which the Commission had prepared in reference to police regulations of the grounds. The communication was accepted and filed.

After some discussion on motion of Mr. Gooley the ordinance was considered seriatim and after being slightly amended adopted.

The ordinance provides—

1. That all persons are forbidden to enter or leave the Park grounds except by the regular gateways.
2. All persons are forbidden to climb or walk upon the fence.
3. To carry firearms or to throw stones or other missiles within the grounds, or upon any of the streets surrounding the same. [The clause in relation to firearms was subsequently stricken out.]
4. To cut, break or in any way injure or deface the trees, shrubs, plants, turf, or any of the buildings, fences, seats, bridges, fountains or other constructions upon the Park.
5. No threatening, abusive, boisterous, profane or indecent language shall be allowed on any of the Park grounds.
6. No person shall be allowed to tell fortunes or play at any game of chance, at or with any table or instrument of gaming, nor to do any obscene or indecent act whatever on the Park grounds.
7. No person shall post or otherwise offer any bill, notice or paper upon any structure or thing within the grounds, nor upon any of the fences enclosing the same.
8. No person shall, without the consent of the Park Commission or officer in charge, play upon any musical instrument within the grounds, nor shall any person take into or carry or display in the Park any banner, target or transparency.
9. No military or target company, or civic or other processions shall be permitted to parade drill or perform, upon the Park, any military evolutions or movements.
10. No dog shall be allowed upon any portion of the Park grounds unless by a chain or proper dog string not exceeding five feet in length, nor shall any person be allowed to lead any quadruped except dogs in the Park.
11. No person shall bathe or fish in, or go, or send any animal into any of the waters of the Park, nor disturb any of the fish, or other birds in the Park, nor throw or place any article or thing in said waters without the consent of the person having charge of the Park.
12. No person except those employed in the Park shall light, make or use any fire (smoking excepted) upon the grounds.
13. No person on foot shall go upon the grass lawn or turf of the Park except where and when the word "Common" is posted, indicating that persons are at liberty, at that time and place to go on the grass (except persons at work upon the Park.)
14. No persons shall fire, discharge or set off in the Park any rocket, cracker, torpedo, squib, balloon, or fireworks, of any character whatever or fly any kite of whatever kind.

15—No person shall expose any article or thing for sale upon the Park or any of the sidewalks surrounding the same, nor any hawking or peddling be allowed.

16—No person shall turn into the Park nor allow any animal whatever to run at large on any of the streets surrounding the same.

17—Seats marked "for ladies" shall be exclusively for ladies and gentlemen accompanying them.

18—No article of any kind whatsoever used for carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil or other articles (except those employed on the Park grounds) shall enter within the enclosure, and pleasure carriages shall only be driven on the roads designated drives and at a rate not faster than a walk.

19—That for a violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance, the penalty shall be a fine of not less than five nor more than fifty dollars, together with the cost of making good any damage done to anything in the Park; the same to be recovered summarily upon conviction before the Mayor.

20—It shall be the duty of the police of the Park, and all policemen of the city, to arrest all persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance.

21—All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the foregoing are hereby repealed.

Section 17 created a great deal of discussion. It was contended by the advocates of the section that it was intended to prevent a practice now in vogue by some rowdy loafers—taking the seats and refusing to give them up for ladies even when requested. It was designed to have the seats marked alternately for "ladies" and "gentlemen," and thus both sexes would be accommodated. The seats for ladies could be used by gentlemen accompanying them. The opponents of the clause contended that the seats should be free to all, and that "first come, first served" should be the rule, and that sufficient seats should be provided for all comers.

The clause was finally adopted by a close vote.

The ordinance as amended was also finally passed under a suspension of the rules by a vote of 8 to 4.

GAS LAMPS.

Mr. Rowbottom, from the Committee on Gas, presented a report with a resolution providing for the erection of gas lamps, corner of an alley and Boyle street; corner of North avenue and Middle street; corner of Third and Middle streets; between Middle and West; corner of Sherman avenue and Strawberry alley; southeast corner of Liberty and Chestnut streets, hanging lamp corner of Darrah street and River avenue; on Church avenue between Maginn alley and Sandusky street; also, removal of the lamp from northeast corner of Pitt and Strawberry alleys to southeast corner of the same.

The Committee also reported they designed having a conference with the Gas Company next Monday morning, in relation to the extension of mains when it was expected some satisfactory arrangement might be made.

The report was accepted and resolution adopted.

THE POOR FARM PROPERTY.

Mr. McNeill presented the report of the Committee on Poor Farm, with the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Poor Directors of Allegheny city, be authorized to sell thirty lots, comprised in the present Poor Farm tract on the same terms as given at the last sale, viz: one-fourth cash, balance in five annual payments with six per cent. interest and secured by bond and mortgage on the property.

The Committee also reported that they deemed it inadvisable to take any action at present on the proposition of John Scott, Esq., to sell his farm for a Poor Farm. Report received and resolution adopted.

MUNICIPAL REVENUES.

Mr. Hanna presented the report of the Committee on Markets showing the following receipts during April:

Duncan Dallas Clerk of Markets	$2,029.75
Geo. B. McNulty, Weighmaster Diamond Scales	227.79
R. T. White Second ward Scales	223.46
Total	$2,481.00

Report accepted and filed.

LEGISLATIVE REMISSNESS.

During the reading of the report a number of members left the room, when the President asked the clerk if a quorum was present,—the answer being "there is not."

President, (serenely) Gentlemen, Common Council stands adjourned for want of a quorum.

Sensation among the remaining members, as the President left the chair, remarking as he went, "there is a great deal of important business yet to attend to but we can't go on without a quorum."

At the instance of the Clerk the loyal members retained their seats while the veteran Sargeant-at-Arms assumed an unwonted degree of official briskness and hastily perambulated the building in search of the absentees. In a few moments they began to return. One had "been in the Select Council chamber," another had been to "see a man," and a third "forgot about the rules," while a fourth thought he "wouldn't be missed," and all thought business (as had often been the practice) might have proceeded without them.

The President again assumed the chair, and without regarding the excuses, announced, as a quorum was present, "business would be resumed."

OLD BUSINESS

was then taken up. The petition from the Ladies Relief Society, referred to Finance Committee with power to act, April 7, in C. C., and in S. C. referred to Committee on Poor Farm, was again presented, when C. C. receded and concurred.

The ordinance compelling owners of property containing no buildings to clean the sidewalks in front of same twice a week, in S. C. April 14th, adopted, was in C. C., May 12th, similarly disposed of.

The resolution in relation to the extension of soil pipe of Ellsworth engine house to the river was in C. C. April 14th, adopted, in S. C. referred to Committee on City Property, was brought up, when C. C. adhered to former action and asked for a Committee of Conference.

Adjourned.

PENN AVENUE IMPROVEMENT.

Election of Commissioners—Four Elected—A Tie Vote.

Agreeably to notice, the property holders interested met yesterday afternoon, between the hours of two and seven, to select five commissioners for the Penn Avenue Improvement, as required by the act of Assembly.

Paul Hugus	121*	A. H. Gross	75
John J. Marchand	110*	Henry Menold	53
John P. Penney	90*	R. C. Beatty	25
W. P. Shinn	83*	Henry Toner	29
A. J. Davis	75	B. F. Vandervort	6

It will be thus seen that but four of the five were chosen, a "tie" vote happening as between Drs. Gross and Davis, which we presume it will take another election to determine. The elected commissioners were Messrs. Paul Hugus, John J. Marchand, John P. Penney and W. P. Shinn.

The greatest interest was manifested in the election, and the friends of the various candidates were as "busy as beavers" from the opening to the closing of the polls. This improvement is a very important one and of great magnitude, and we are glad to see that its execution is being committed into the hands of the right kind of men.

Resolutions of Respect.

At the stated meeting of the United Brethren of Mutual Relief, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in His mysterious providence, to remove, by death, from our midst, our beloved friend and brother, Emanuel Jackson, who for many years manifested the most commendable interest and Christian zeal in the welfare of our society; therefore, be it

Resolved, That his memory is embalmed in our hearts; that in his death this society sustains the loss of an eminent Christian and brother, creating a void difficult to fill.

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the family of deceased in this their hour of bereavement.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy be sent to the family and also that they be published in the daily papers.

A. F. HAWKINS,
L. GOOGINS, Committee.
J. H. JOHNSON.

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THE THIRD AVENUE HOMICIDE.

Hearing Before the Mayor—The Testimony—Kerr, Nicholson and Carrie Jones, the Accused, Committed for Trial.

A hearing in the case of John Nicholson, Daniel Kerr and Fannie Morgan, alias Carrie Jones, charged with the murder of Patrick Collins, at No. 83 Third avenue, on the evening of Monday, May 9th, took place at the Mayor's office yesterday. So great was the interest manifested that the office was crowded to its fullest capacity with all ages, classes and colors of persons. At ten o'clock the accused were brought from the jail, where they have been confined since Wednesday morning, to the Mayor's office, and were represented at the hearing by Messrs. Gibson, Marshall, Collier and Wilson.

THE TESTIMONY.

The information was read to the accused by the Mayor's clerk, after which the following testimony was elicited:

Mrs. Margaret McCarroll, sworn—Am sister-in-law of deceased; live at 83 Third avenue. Collins came into the bar-room on Monday evening and played awhile; he drank and seemed in a good humor; after awhile I was uneasy about his being there, and wanted him to go home; he would not go; I went to the kitchen some time afterwards, and two men came through in a hurry to go down the back stairs; I stopped them and told them not to go through there; one of them asked to be excused, and they hurried on; I followed them down stairs; this man (Nicholson) seemed to be quarrelsome, and was making some fuss; I went up stairs again, and Carrie Jones came out of her room after a few moments and said, "Nicholson is awful quarrelsome to-night; a man came into my room, and Nicholson knocked or kicked him down stairs; you had better go and see who it is." She lit a piece of cloth, and we went out and saw the body lying there; I thought it was the colored man from the hall; this man (Nicholson) was one of the men who came through the kitchen, and this man Kerr, I think, was the other one; there is a colored man named Jack whom I think might have been about there that night.

Officer J. B. Hazen, sworn—When I was making my eleven o'clock round, I was told a man had been killed, and there was a woman I ought to arrest; I made some inquiries, and went and arrested Carrie Jones; she told me that the man had no business there and got what he deserved; Mrs. McCarroll told me that Nicholson did it.

John Shaffer, sworn—I am a glass blower; was coming down Third avenue Monday night; saw two men, who told me there was a man lying drunk at the foot of the stairs; they were pulling at him when I came up; I went into the bar room and told them in there, and the man was carried in; the two men hurried away towards Market street; would not be able to identify them again; one of them was tall and one was short.

Officer John Hood, sworn—Was on Third avenue on the night of this affair; heard a noise like the fall of something heavy at this house; went across to see if there was any disturbance; could learn of none; think this was about fifteen minutes before twelve o'clock.

The prosecution called no other witnesses. Mr. Marshall and the defense had plenty of testimony, but did not propose to produce it now. He would not ask the Mayor to discharge the prisoners, and of course they would have to be committed for trial.

The Mayor then made out commitments for the three prisoners, and they were returned to jail.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Hampton.

THURSDAY, May 12.—The case of Barton vs. Black, reported yesterday, was resumed, and the case of McRoberts vs. the same defendant, which is a case similar to the above, was taken up and both cases tried by the same jury. On trial.

On motion of David Reed, Esq., Messrs. Charles C. Montooth and Joel L. Bigham were admitted to practice in this court.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

9. Sheppard vs. Schoonmaker.
12. Hill, Patterson & Co. vs. Dillow et al.
14. Lorish vs. Kirsh.
17. Brown vs. Anderson.
18. Lapton & Co. vs. Richardson.
21. Hartupee & Co. vs. Caldwell.
24. Eakin for use, &c. vs. Ames M. E. Church.
25. Harlewood & Blackstock vs. Hershouser & Co.

Common Pleas—Judge Stowe.

THURSDAY, May 12.—The first case taken up was that of James Hadspath vs. J. N. O'Neil, action on the case of "words spoken," or slander. The parties reside at Elizabeth borough. The defendant, it is alleged, accused or charged the plaintiff with keeping a house of ill fame.

The next case taken up was that of Elizabeth Boreland vs. H. Darlington, action to recover for services rendered as nurse. Plaintiff, it appears, was employed by defendant as a nurse, in March, 1868, for four weeks but was discharged at the expiration of ten days. The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $41.80.

On motion of David Reed, Esq., Charles C. Montooth and Joel L. Bigham were sworn and admitted to practice in the several courts of Allegheny county.

The next case taken up was that of Benjamin Conrad vs. John E. Shaffer. Action to recover rent due and unpaid. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

- 190 Thompson vs. Russell.
- 36 Gaeser vs. Kingman.
- 36 Pittsburgh & Greensburg Turnpike Company vs. Shoemaker.
- 205 Johnson vs. Wolf.
- 206 Weisenberger vs. Stewart.
- 210 Hutchinson vs. Patterson.
- 211 McClure vs. Barnes.
- 9 Madison vs. McClintock.
- 178 Petrit vs. Philips.
- 212 Glockner vs. Kaufman & Co.
- 213 Stoneroad vs. Davis.

THE DEATH IN THE WELL.

The Ormsby Accident—Coroner's Inquest.

Coroner Clawson held inquests yesterday morning on the bodies of Matthias Wilhelm, sr., Matthias Wilhelm, jr., and James Mooney, who came to their deaths by an accident at Ormsby borough, a report of which we published yesterday.

Instead of all three men being in the vault as was reported, it appears Mr. Wilhelm, sr., was alone, and at the time of the accident was endeavoring to make an opening between the new vault and the old one, and when he succeeded the foul gases and filth rushed in so rapidly as to suffocate him. His son, who was at the top of the well, seeing him fall, started down to rescue him and had not gone far when he too fell a victim to the deadly poisonous gases arising from the filth, and fell into the abyss of death with his father. Mr. Mooney next attempted to descend to rescue the father and son, and he too fell a victim to the deadly vapor which pervaded the well. Others attempted to make the descent but took the precaution to secure themselves with ropes by which they could be drawn up, and thereby escaped death.

The jury, after hearing the following testimony, returned a verdict in accordance with the facts:

Wm. Trimble, sworn—I was coming coming down street about six o'clock last evening when I saw a large crowd running; the deceased (Mooney) said he would go down the well; he went down the well about seven feet, when he was overpowered and fell to the bottom. When we got him out he was dead.

Dr. Rahauser, sworn—At about six o.clock I was called to the place of the accident; they had just succeeded in taking out the body of Mr. Wilhelm, Sr.; life was extinct; I tried to resuscitate him, but all restoratives failed; death was caused by the foul air or gas.

Bock Beer.

Bock beer is an exhilarating beverage. It exhilarates the man who sells it by attracting customers to his establishment, and exhilarates those who imbibe it, though in a different manner. The various conditions in which different people are placed by "Bock" would be an interesting study for a philosopher. Some who are not philosophers find it interesting. Yesterday Charles Ebert and Frank Brown met in a saloon on Ohio street, Allegheny. They had been taking "Bock" elsewhere, which awakened a feeling of friendship between them; another glass and this feeling was changed to hate, and they were industriously ornamenting each other with black eyes, ruby noses and swollen jaws. Ebert received the greatest ornamentation, and to square matters, called upon Alderman Koenig, who issued a warrant for the arrest of Brown, who will be disposed of according to the provisions of the assault and battery act.

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New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 12.—Cotton buoyant; middling 22½c. Sales 7,000 bales; receipts 1,378 bales; exports to Bremen 3,922 bales; stock 85,760 bales. Flour firmer; sales at $4.50@5.25@5.75 for superfine, double extra and triple extra. Sales of white corn at $1.35, and mixed $1.33. Oats 75c. Bran $1.50. Hay $26. Mess pork firmer at $31.50. Bacon 13¾@17¼c. for shoulders, clear rib and clear sides. Sugar-cured hams 19½@20c. Lard: tierce 16¾@17c; keg 18¾@18¼c. Sugar: prime 11¾c. Molasses: prime reboiled 75c. Whisky $1@$1.12½. Coffee in fair demand at 16½@18½c for prime. Sterling 20@20½c.

A Silver Mountain—Is it a Fact or a Fancy?

A San Francisco correspondent says:

A silver mountain is said to exist in New Mexico, fifteen miles from the Arizona boundary line. A mysterious expedition left the city two weeks ago for that region, and the Bank of California was rumored to be the projector of it. Its members were supplied with arms, money and comforts, that no private enterprise could afford, and it is an ascertained fact that the corporation named previously despatched a force to that neighborhood, to lay claim to something or other, of which ordinary mortals knew not. In connection with this matter, late Arizona papers mention the existence of a mass of silver rock in that Territory, comprising four hundred thousand square yards (they give details), which assays from $200 to $2,350 per ton. It is certain that from time to time this story of a silver mountain is repeated by travelers from this Indian-haunted section, but until the Apaches are exterminated, prospectors would require a small army to protect them, and then stand a fair chance of losing their scalps.

DIED:

WILHELM—On Wednesday, at 6 o'clock P. M., MATHIAS WILHELM, SR., in the 51st year of his age.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, in Ormsby borough, THIS (Friday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WILHELM—On Wednesday, at 6 o'clock P. M., MATHIAS WILHELM, JR., in the 25th year of his age.

LAPHAM—On Wednesday morning, May 11th, at 1 o'clock, ANNA BELL, the only daughter of John and Ann Jane Lapham, aged 2 years and 6 months.

LAPHAM—Also, on Thursday morning, May 12th, at 5½ o'clock, JOSEPH KING, son of John and Anna Jane Lapham, aged 4 years and 4 months.

The funeral of both children will take place THIS AFTERNOON, May 13th, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of the parents, No. 85 Ackley street, Allegheny. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

PHILLIPS—On Thursday morning, May 12th, at her residence in Snowden township, near Library, Allegheny county, Pa., Mrs. NANCY A. PHILLIPS, widow of David Phillips, in the 86th year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence on SATURDAY, at 11 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BURNS—At half past one o'clock Friday morning, May 13th, ELIZABETH BURNS, in the 48th year of her age.

The funeral will take place SUNDAY AFTERNOON at two o'clock, from the residence of her son, 280 Liberty street.

RAMIGE—On Thursday morning, May 12, 1870, at 12½ o'clock, CATHARINE, wife of Fred. Ramige, aged 26 years.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her husband, No. 52 Smithfield street, THIS (Friday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

POLITICAL.

PITTSBURGH, May 9th, 1870.

☞ THE MEMBERS OF THE UNION REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE for Allegheny county are notified to meet in the DISTRICT COURT ROOM, at the Court House, on SATURDAY, May 14th, 1870, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of determining and fixing the time of meeting of County Convention or Conventions to place in nomination a Republican ticket for the fall campaign, and for attending to such other business as may be brought before the Committee. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

W. S. PURVIANCE, Chairman.
Attest: WALTER S. McCUNE, GEO. F. MORGAN, Secretaries.
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CANDIDATES.

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

GEORGE NEELEY,

of Marshall Township, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.
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☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

BENJAMIN DOUTHETT,

Of Indiana township, is a candidate for County Commissioner, in subordination to the decision of the Republican Convention. Est modus in rebus.
ap8:w45d&T

☞ FOR ASSEMBLY.

DAVID L. FLEMING,

Member of City Councils from the Seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, at the solicitation of numerous friends, will be a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. Mr. FLEMING has been for a number of years, and is at present, connected with the GAZETTE office.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, PA., PITTSBURGH, May 7, 1870.

☞ DIVIDEND.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of SIX PER CENT. out of the earnings of the last six months, free of all taxes, payable on and after the 12th inst.

JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE, Cashier.
my9:w65

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH INSURANCE CO., PITTSBURGH, May 5, 1870.

☞ AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD of DIRECTORS of this Company held this day, a Dividend was declared of SIX DOLLARS ($6 00) per share payable on demand, free of National Tax.

D. C. HULTZ, Secretary.
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GERMAN NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PITTSBURGH, May 4th, 1870.

☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have declared a dividend of SIX PER CENT. (6) on the Capital Stock out of the earnings of the last six months, payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 12th inst., free of all taxes.

JOS. LAURENT, Cashier.

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, May 3d, 1870.

☞ THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. out of the earnings of the last six months, free of all taxes, payable on and after the 10th inst.

A. LONG, Cashier.
my4:w61

☞ DIVIDEND.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, May 3, 1870.

The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of FOUR AND ONE HALF PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 10th inst., free of Government tax.

R. K. WILSON, Assistant Cashier.
my4:w61

BANK OF PITTSBURGH, May 3d, 1870.

☞ THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on its Capital Stock, out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 13th inst., free of Government, State and local taxes.

W. ROSEBURG, Cashier.
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THE IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, May 2, 1870.

☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK have this day declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable, free of tax, to stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 12th inst.

J. MAGOFFIN, Cashier.
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OFFICE WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, May 3, 1870.

☞ DIVIDEND.

The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of

Five Dollars

upon each share of the Capital Stock, out of the earned profits of the last six months, free of Government and State taxes, payable to Stockholders, on and after the 10th inst.

WM. P. HERBERT, Secretary.
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☞ WASHINGTON AVENUE.

ELECTION NOTICE.

An election will be held at the tavern of Thomas Alderson, on said Washington avenue, in Scott township, on WEDNESDAY, the first day of June, 1870, between the hours of 12 M. and 7 P. M. to elect SEVEN PERSONS to serve as a Board of Commissioners of said avenue until the third Friday in April, 1871.

By order of the Board.
JOHN GILFILLEN, President.

☞ BOUNTY.

$100 Bounty Collected

For all soldiers who enlisted between May 4th and July 22d, 1861, who were discharged for disability before serving two years, and who have heretofore received no bounty.

The undersigned has removed his office to GAZETTE Building, corner Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, and is now prepared to collect claims speedily and at moderate rates. Call on, or address, with stamp,

B. F. BROWN,
Claim Agent, GAZETTE Building,
Corner Sixth avenue and Smithfield street,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

☞ PUBLIC NOTICE.—Having been appointed GAS and GAS METER INSPECTOR for Allegheny county, notice is hereby given that until the necessary office and Mechanical Testing Machinery can be provided, I will be found at the OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL FOUNDRY AND PIPE WORKS, Twenty-third street, near Penn, Pittsburgh.

R. H. SMITH,
fe23:n58 Gas and Gas Meter Inspector.

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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, May 11th, 1870.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed PROPOSALS for the Grading and Macadamizing of Larimer avenue, from Spring street to Hill street, will be received at this office until FRIDAY, May 20th, 1870.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

my10 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

NOTICE.—The assessment for GRADING and PAVING of Pump alley, from Bennett to Barnett alleys, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until THURSDAY, May 19th, 1870, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller for collection.

CHARLES DAVIS, Engineer.
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BALTIMORE HERRING, SHAD, &c.—New Potomac Herring in barrels and halves; new do Shad in barrels and halves; No. 1 Mackerel, all sizes of packages; No. 2 do, all sizes of packages; No. 3 do, all sizes of packages; Lake Herring, half and quarter barrels; Lake White Fish, half barrels; Labrador Herring, barrels and halves; Salmon in kits; Holland Herring, 160 kegs choice. For sale low to the trade.

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my10 172 and 174 Wood street.

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, PA., May 12th, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all holders of Overdue Municipal Bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, to forward them to this office for Payment. No interest will be allowed on such Bonds after July 1st, 1870.

By order of the Finance Committee.
R. J. McGOWAN, Controller.
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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between JOHN McNULTY and DEXTER SAMSON, doing business under the firm name of McNulty & Samson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by John McNulty, who assumes all liabilities, and all debts due the firm are to be paid him.

JOHN McNULTY,
DEXTER SAMSON.
PITTSBURGH, May 9th, 2860. my11:w81

FINE OOLONG TEA.—Just received a fresh invoice of extra grade Oolong in caddies, for family use; none finer in the market; for sale by the pound or caddy, at the Family Grocery Store of

JOHN A. RENSHAW,
my10 Corner Liberty and Ninth streets.

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BEDDING, HOSE AND STEAM PACKING

Of the Boston Belting Company's make. A full supply of all sizes. The trade supplied at manufacturers' prices.

J. & H. PHILLIPS,
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NEW BURLINGTON HERRING.—10 boxes Mitchell's celebrated Burlington Herring, the first of the season; also fresh smoked Salmon, just received and for sale by the box or at retail, at the Family Grocery Store of

JOHN A. RENSHAW,
my3 Corner Liberty and Ninth streets.

ON FRANKSTOWN ROAD, May 2d, 1870.—Taken up, ONE DARK BROWN MARE, about 15 hands high. Enquire of Lieut. LOYD, at Deputy Mayor Cartwright's office, East Liberty.
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PEARL COAL.

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Youghiogheny and Anthracite Coal

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M. P. O'HERN, Secretary.
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OFFICE AND YARD, corner Butler and Morton streets, Liberty and Clymer streets, Ninth ward; also, Second street, Eighth ward, and at foot of Ross street, P. & C. R. R. Depot, Second ward.

Orders left at either of the above offices, or addressed to me through Pittsburgh P. O., will receive prompt attention.

Refer to whom I am supplying: Hussey, Wells & Co., Wm. Smith, Union Iron Mills, S. S. Fowler & Co., Mitchell, Stevenson & Co., Bissell & Co., Graff & Hugus, Alex. Bradley, Park, Bro. & Co., Park, McCurdy & Co., Reese, Graff & Dull, Wm. M. Faber & Co., J. B. Lyon & Co., James Marshall & Co., Allen, McKee & Co., Union Depot Hotel, Connellsville R. R., Pennsylvania R. R., Allegheny Valley R. R.

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All orders left at their office, or addressed to them through the mail, will be attended to promptly.

GREAT BARGAIN.—A COTTAGE HOUSE adjoining Union Park, with 5 rooms; grounds beautifully laid out. Will be sold at less than cost price if called for soon. T. R. SILL & SON, corner Penn and Thirty-third street, or at the office of ROBT. S. SILL, Attorney at Law, 72 Grant street.

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7th DAY OF JUNE, 1870.

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FRIDAY EVENING, May 13, 1870, BENEFIT of the popular and favorite actor,

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For which occasion he will give his unequaled impersonation of the dashing

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In the delightful comedy by O'Keefe, entitled

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To conclude with the charming farce of

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Edwin Adams Matinee on Saturday.

☞ GRAND EXHIBITION BY THE PUPILS OF

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On Friday Evening, May 13th.

Consisting of PARLOR DANCING, and also a new and original DRAMA, entitled THE ITALIAN PRINCESS, or THE MYSTERY OF THE FAIRIES, written expressly for the occasion.

The Great Western Band will be in attendance. Admission, $1.00. Doors open at 7, commence at quarter to 8 precisely. Tickets and Programmes to be had at the Music Stores.

☞ FIFTH ANNUAL SHEARING FESTIVAL.—The Fifth Annual Shearing Festival will take place on the Farm of Henry McMurry, 12 miles from Pittsburgh, via Washington avenue, on THURSDAY, May 19th, 1870, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.

At the same time and place there will be a GRAND DISPLAY OF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and also a PUBLIC SALE of FANCY STOCK of all kinds.

Sale to commence at 3 o'clock P. M.

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